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THE SIEGE OF CHARLESTON.

Arrival of the Arago, with Advices to the 10th.

The Grand Assault Expected to be Made Yesterday.

Reports of a Deserter from Fort Wagner.

Guns Removed from Fort Sumter to James Island.

The Fall of Sumter Regarded as a Certainty.

Great Improvement in the Health of Our Troops.

The transport steamer *Arago*, from Port Royal on the morning of the 10th inst., and Charleston Bar at 6 P. M. of the same day, arrived here yesterday morning.

The *Arago* brings the usual mails and a large number of passengers. The One Hundred and Seventy-fifth regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, (600 strong,) Col. Sawyer, whose term of service has expired, are on board.

The following brief letter gives the very latest news regarding the progress of the siege of Charleston:

CHARLESTON BAR, Monday, Aug. 10—5 P. M.

Gen. GILLMORE has notified Admiral DAHLGREN that he will be in readiness to open the grand assault on Thursday, the 13th inst.

The navy is all ready, waiting for the army, so that the fight, it is believed, will commence on that day.

The greatest confidence is felt as to the result.

The fall of Forts Sumter, Wagner and Cummings Point is regarded as certain to take place in from five to six hours after the ball opens.

A deserter from Fort Wagner says that two-thirds of the guns have been removed from Fort Sumter and mounted on James Island, and that the fall of Sumter is regarded by the rebels as a certainty, the damage done by the Monitors in April last rendering the possibility of the rebels holding it not to be thought of.

The deserter says that Sumter was on the point of surrendering at that time, when, fortunately for the rebels, the Monitors withdrew.

We have shelling night and day. Fort Johnson keeps up a brisk fire, and our wooden gunboats go in every day, and amuse themselves by shelling them.

At night the rebels shell our land batteries, and we shell them in return.

On Sunday next we will certainly hold Sumter, and within a few days after Charleston or its ruins will be in our possession.

Two more mortar schooners, making five in all, and the wooden gunboats are stripping for the fight.

The weather continues delightful, though there is great suffering for ice, lemons and sugar. Cannot Boston, New-York or Philadelphia send some cargoes here for the use of the gallant sailors and soldiers.

As the *Arago* leaves, the *Ottawa*, *Marblehead*, *Seneca* and *Ironsides* are engaged shelling the Cummings Point battery!

ANOTHER REPORT.

Purser GRAINGER, of the *Arago*, informs us that the siege of Morris Island was progressing favorably up to the 10th inst., at which time the *Arago* left Charleston Bar. Our losses were very trifling, not exceeding three or four casualties per day. The final attack was not far distant. All our officers were confident of success. Daily firing took place from both sides. At the time of sailing, at 6 P. M. on the 10th, the gunboat Ottawa was shelling Cummings Point.

The bark *Faith*, from Philadelphia, coal-loaded, went ashore at Fort Royal Bar, 3d inst., and bilged. She will prove a total loss.

We are again indebted to Mr. GRAINGER for the prompt delivery of our correspondence and for other facilities.

PROGRESS OF THE SIEGE OPERATIONS.

No Important Movements—The Rebel Works—Health of the Troops.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MORRIS ISLAND, S. C., Saturday, Aug. 8, 1863.

The siege of Fort Wagner is still progressing, and thus far without any serious encounters between the opposing forces since the memorable 18th. The enemy sends his missiles at intervals during the day and night from Forts Sumter, Gregg and Johnson, but has succeeded in causing very little injury to the Union troops. If anything, the rebels appear to have tired of that sort of pastime within the past two or three days, as it is noticed they do not fire so often as they did a week ago. Probably they are suspicious that they have been wasting ammunition, and are now content to wait until the proper moment arrives. As a general thing, we do not respond.

Fort Wagner is already about we eat. At any rate, it is impossible for that work to use its guns to any advantage, in consequence of the experience of our sharpshooters, who are ready to pick off the first rebel that shows his head above the fortifications. By this means it may be safely said that Fort Wagner is entirely at our mercy. When the Union forces first arrived on the island, the guns of Fort Wagner were trained on the beach, so as to sweep the entire length, and in fact it was rendered anything but an enjoyable promenade at that time. But now the rebels can walk on the beach with impunity to within a mile and a half of Fort Wagner, not heeding any shots from the guns of that work.

Fort Gregg, otherwise known as the Cummings Point Battery, is completely out of the question at present. The special points of interest are Forts Sumter, Johnson and, as before intimated, Fort Wagner. Let those forts be reduced, and the land forces will have achieved all that was be required of them in their present situation. The iron-clads must do the rest in the reduction of Charleston. Fort Moultrie occasionally throws a shell, but for what purpose it is difficult to conceive, as the projectile invariably falls in the water without causing the slightest damage to any Union material.

Of the health of the Union troops, it may be said that they are comparatively in a good condition. The cases of sickness have been greatly reduced during the past few days, and the probability is, that in the course of another week the sick list will be very small. Those who are sick have the best of treatment and attention, being immediately conveyed to Hilton Head, where accommodations have been provided for them. As yet there have been no signs of the yellow fever or any other epidemic, and such is not apprehended on the island this season. A few cases occurred last year at Hilton Head, but such sanitary measures have been taken as, it is believed, will prevent a return of that class of disease this summer. On Morris Island not a tree or a shrub is to be found. The only thing that approaches vegetation, even in its simplest form, is a kind of vast grass which is discovered in certain spots, like the oasis in the desert. This absence of vegetation is believed to have a salutary effect on the health of the soldiers. As would be naturally supposed, the climate here is exceedingly warm, especially in early morning. At about 10 or 11 A. M. we have a fresh sea breeze, which continues for the remainder of the day and long into the night. Within the past six days 400 men have been sent from the hospitals to their regiments. In fact, one or two hospitals have been broken up entirely.

It must not be supposed that Morris Island is a level plain of sand. There can be no doubt about the sand, but the island is by no means free from hills and low bluffs, especially on the lower or southern end. These bluffs extend about one and a half miles parallel with the island, or to the look-out tower. Beyond that point, the country is comparatively even, but abounds with marshes. From the peculiar shape of the Island and the contracted limits which can be occupied, it is impossible to concentrate upon it a very heavy number of men. Notwithstanding this, however, it is thought we have troops enough to accomplish the object intended.

It will not be a matter of news to state that work is being vigorously prosecuted on the trenches and parallels. The nature of the next conflict can be easily surmised. It will be, for the most part, an artillery duel.

Lighthouse Inlet has certainly become a famous harbor on the Carolina coast. The rebels, in looking from their observatory just below Fort Johnson, cannot be otherwise than astonished to witness the fleet of vessels of various kinds that are constantly anchored at that point. Perhaps they also witness with feelings of regret the wreck of the impudent *Ruby* which was driven on the beach by the Blockaders while attempting to run the gauntlet with a contraband cargo, up Lighthouse Creek. Communication between Morris and Folly Islands is kept up by means of a small steamer which hourly plys back and forth. In addition to the steamer, a dozen or more rowboats are always on one or the other shore, so there is never a lack of transportation.

It is rather singular that while we are only within three days' easy transportation distance of New-York, yet we have scarcely any vegetables among the troops. It would seem that the Government would comprehend the great importance of that species of diet at this particular time, and send, without delay, a sufficient quantity to supply the whole Department. The plan of feeding fighting men on fresh or salt beef and hard biscuit, simply, has been effectually tried and found to be a failure. Thanks to the United States Sanitary Commission, the needful substistence has, in a measure, been supplied; but it cannot be expected this valuable institution—which was organized more especially for the benefit of the sick and wounded—can be able to furnish all the troops on the island with rations.

A flag of truce was sent to Fort Wagner yesterday, but no reply has been received up to the time of mailing this letter.

Capt. PAYNE, with eleven men of the One Hundredth New-York, were taken prisoners while making a reconnoissance last week. WHIT.

PROGRESS OF OPERATIONS.

Correspondence of the New South.

MORRIS ISLAND, Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1863.

There is very little publishable news of interest since our last advices. Our lines have been steadily advanced under a hot fire from the enemy, with scarcely a casualty. Not one has been reported for two days. Our advance is now only about 600 yards from Fort Wagner.

Our batteries and the fleet allow the enemy but very little rest. Occasionally there has been very sharp and continuous firing, and on one or two occasions the Wagnerites have responded vigorously for a few moments, as if enraged at the effect of our shells, but the principal shelling is from Sumter, Fort Johnson and its outworks, and Battery Gregg.

Col. JAMES MONTGOMERY, while commanding in the trenches, Lieut.-Col. AMES and Major HAMMONS, of the Seventh New-Hampshire, had a very narrow escape a day or two since, from a shell which burst directly over their heads; and there is scarcely an officer who has been at the front without some similar adventure. No officer has been wounded, however, since my last letter. Major HAMMONS, of the Seventh New-Hampshire, had a narrow escape one night in a trench, near the front, which, I believe, has not been chronicled in the *New South*. He was sitting in the trench, with several others, when an incendiary projectile from the rebel works, struck in the bank directly behind them, tipping over half a cart-load of dirt upon them, and nearly burying them up. Major HAMMONS found himself firmly fixed in the sand, with the elongated 10-inch implement of destruction lying up against his shoulder. Supposing it to be a shell, unable to stir an inch, the Major's sensations, from the time of discovering the projectile, until he became convinced that it was a solid shot, can better be imagined than described.

The troops do not seem to suffer at all from the climate. Barren, sandy, with no shade, Morris Island was at first rated disagreeable enough for the troops, but longer acquaintance has resulted in very favorable opinions. If there are no trees, the sea-breezes sweep across the island uninterruptedly; if the sand bluffs are disagreeable to travel over, the beach is one of the finest in the world, wide enough for a general thoroughfare, solid and smooth as a marble floor. At Folly Island the water is disagreeable and unhealthy; here, the absence of all vegetation renders it clear and sweet. The camps are well policed, and if they care well for themselves there need be no serious sickness among the troops.

In Gen. GILLMORE's marquee are three elegant flags which have been captured on this island. Two belonged to the Twenty-first South Carolina, one of the old and the other the new style. The old one has "Pocotaligo" inscribed on it, and was captured by Private ROYAL COWSLOW, Co. D, 37th Connecticut, on the 10th ult., after shooting the rebel color-bearer.

Capt. EATON, of the Engineers, has been presented with an elegant and costly sword and equipments, by his company. The presentation was a "surprise," and excited considerable astonishment in the worthy Captain.

LIST OF DEATHS IN HOSPITAL.

From the Port Royal New South, Aug. 4.

Below we give an accurate and carefully prepared list of all the deaths in the hospitals at Beaufort and here, as reported at the Medical Director's office, from July 1 to Aug. 4. We are indebted for it to J. A. KELL, of the regular army, now connected with the Medical Department here. The list gives the names of all who have died, specifies the rank of each party, the date and the cause, whether wounds or disease. It can be fully relied on, and will be interesting to all the friends of sick and wounded soldiers:

C. H. Dearborn, Co. D, 4th N. H., July 29—chronic diarrhœa.

H. Smith, Co. A, 104th Pennsylvania, July 19—cerebral disease.

C. O. K. Davis, Co. A, 3d N. H., 1st—typhoid fever.

Horace J. Hall, Co. B, 3d N. H., 19th—typ'd fever.

Sergt. J. H. Kelsy, Co. H, 3d N. H., 31st—typ'd f'r.

Wm. Match, Co. H, 9th Maine, 1st—typhoid fever.

Hiram Colton, Co. E, 9th Maine, 10th—typ'd fever.

Alvin Estes, Co. A, 9th Maine, 11th—typ'd fever.

J. H. Cushman, Co. C, 9th Maine, 8th—wounds.

A. T. Williams, Co. E, 9th Maine, 24th—wounds.

Corp. J. Sweeny, Co. H, 9th Maine, 6th—wounds.

S. E. Callamore, Co. H, 9th Maine, 1st—disease of heart.

J. A. Farnham, Co. K, 9th Maine, 1st—remittent fever.

H. F. Hawkes, Co. B, 9th Maine, 1st—typ'd fever.

H. S. Firbish, Co. C, 9th Maine, 4th—typ'd fever.

A. Littlefield, Co. C, 9th Maine, 9th—typ'd fever.

J. T. Dutch, Co. C, 9th Maine, 6th—typhoid fever.

Jacob Dodge, Co. G, 9th Maine, 22d—typ'd fever.

Robert Tray, Co. C, 9th Maine, 22d—bleeding of lungs.

Lewis Tillhover, Co. A, 104th N. Y., 24th—wounds.

John Lonard, Co. G, 100th N. Y., 27th—wounds.

Wm. Petterling, Co. K, 100th N. Y., 28th—wounds.

J. W. Statley, Co. E, 176th Pennsylvania, 4th—spasms or fever.

F. Fisher, Co. E, 176th Penn., 6th—typhoid fever.

G. P. Stockburn, Co. I, 6th Ohio, 2d—typhoid fever.

Corp. I. L. Abel, Co. B, 115th N. Y., 2d—typ'd fever.

Paul Cromwell, Co. G, 115th N. Y., 6th—typ'd fever.

Geo. Cassidy, Co. D, 115th N. Y., 6th—typ'd fever.

Geo. Galesy, Co. C, 115th N. Y., 8th—typ'd fever.

L. McIntosh, Co. G, 115th N. Y., 11th—typ'd fever.

H. S. Baker, Co. B, 115th N. Y., 13th—consumption.

C. M. Barbee, Co. C, 115th N. Y., 25th—typ'd fever.

Thos. Hare, Co. B, 1st U. S. art., 5th—typ'd fever.

Wm. Weech, Co. G, 24th Mass., 23d—typ'd fever.

Sergt. S. H. Tott, Co. E, 7th N. H., 26th—wounds.

Corp. J. C. Beaver, Co. C, 76th Penn., 26th—wounds.

Wm. Jno. Co. B, 48th N. Y., 11th—typhoid fever.

F. H. Hall, Co. M, 1st Mass. cav., 26th—jaundice.

M. Misry, Co. B, 3d R. I., art. 5th—typhoid fever.

Henry Hart, 7th Connecticut, 1st—jaundice.

Civilian, S. Pete, refugee, 4th—chronic diarrhœa.

Corp. J. V. Hunter, (reb.,) 21st S. C., 18th—wounds.

Lieut. Jno. S. Bee, (reb.,) 1st S. C. A., 16th—wounds.

J. A. Prince, prisoner war, 30th—typhoid fever.

D. E. Coverly, Co. C, 7th N. H., 16th—wounds.

Lieut. S. H. Worcester, Co. B, 7th New-Hampshire, 30th—wounds.

Marvin McLean, Co. D, 39th Illinois, 2d.

Joseph Trent, Co. A, 62d Ohio, 1st.

I. I. Long, Co. K, 67th Ohio, 1st.

E. Waters, Co. I, 52d Pennsylvania, 1st.

Wm. H. Lauch, Co. E, 114th New-York.

Sergt. W. H. Weentse, Co. E, 56th Penn. 4th.

Isaac Pardt, Co. C, 56th Pennsylvania, 5th.

John Gow, Co. A, 115th New-York, 5th.

Frank H. Smith, Co. F, 176th Pennsylvania, 16th.

A. A. Stone, Co. F, 174th Pennsylvania, 16th.

Michael Burns, Co. C, 2d Rhode Island, 16th.

John A. Fill, Co. A, 9th Maine, 16th.

Noah Robinson, Co. I, 62d Ohio, 20th—wounds.

C. V. Hyle, Co. H, 48th New-York, 28th—wounds.

Corp. H. C. Hensmer, Co. K, 100th N. Y. 30th—wounds.

Edward Hillman, Co. C, 67th Ohio, 29th—wounds.

Sergt. H. G. Morrow, Co. B, 67th O., 30th—wounds.

Adjt. Dank C. Leggett, Co. B, 67th O., 31st—wounds.

Capt. J. O. Taxton, Co. D, 48th N. Y., 31st—wounds.

J. M. Hurst, (reb.,) Co. A, Chas. Bat., 26th—w'nds.

Moses Spinner, Co. A, 52d Penn., 23d—wounds.

J. M. Kresson, Co. D, 7th N. H., 25th—wounds.

Perry Hall, Co. B, 100th N. Y., 24th—wounds.

Lt. A. J. Forrest, Co. B, 62d Ohio, 24th—wounds.

Thos. Maxime, Co. C, 62d Ohio, 24th—wounds.

Andw. Sylvester, Co. G, 115th N. Y., 23d—wounds.

Saml. Smith, Co. D, 9th Maine, 23d—wounds.

F. Luckman, Co. C, 100th N. Y., 23d—wounds.

Tracy D. Wait, Co. C, 76th Penn., 23d—wounds.

T. Cummings, Co. B, 97th Penn., 20th—sun-stroke.

Andw. Keiner, Co. G, 176th Penn., 19th—jaundice.

Jos. Mayer, Co. B, 176th Penn., 19th—chronic diarrhœa.

Patrick Mulligan, Co. B, 3d New-York artillery, 20th—pluraltis.

Ezekiel Albears, Co. A, 9th Maine, Aug. 4—typhoid fever.

Corp. A. Burn, Co. A, 67th Ohio, 4th—chronic diarrhœa.

Com. Sergt. H. C. Christy, 115th New-York, 2d—diarrhœa.

C. P. Lutkin, Co. C, 24th Mass., 1st—contusion by round shot.

J. Kelly, Co. F, 3d R. I., 4th—typhoid fever.

Corp. Jos. Goodale, Co. K, 7th Conn., 2d—wounds.

David W. Towle, Co. B, 7th N. H., 2d—wounds.

Sergt. J. W. West, Co. C, 7th N. H., 9th—wounds.

COLORED TROOPS.

Collyhill Charlton, Co. I, 54th Massachusetts, 23d—wounds.

Joseph Johnson, Co. I, 54th Mass., 30th—wounds.

Saim Gedolz, servant, 46th N. Y., 26th—wounds.

Geo. Kreyer, Co. C, 54th Mass., 30th—wounds.

C. K. Reason, Co. E, 54th Mass., 27th—wounds.

M. Gilman, Co. D, 54th Mass., 27th—wounds.

E. Franklin, Co. C, 54th Mass., 31st—wounds.

J. Bancroft, Co. A, 54th Mass., 29th—wounds.

Isaac Brisbane, Co. I, 1st S. C., 29th—wounds.

MILITARY NEWS TO BE SUPPRESSED.

A STRINGENT ORDER FROM GEN. GILLMORE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH, HEADQUARTERS IN THE FIELD, MORRIS ISLAND, S. C., Aug. 7, 1863.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 66.—I. The practice of giving information to their friends or to the public Press, on matters connected with military operations in progress or in contemplation, so unscrupulously indulged in by officers, citizens and soldiers in this Department, and by employes on transports, is fraught with incalculable evil to our cause, and must be stopped at once. No information, which could in any way benefit the enemy, must be divulged, directly or indirectly.

Upon the following subjects in particular, the strictest silence must be observed, viz.:

1. The names of division, brigade or post commanders.

2. The strength of regiments, brigades or divisions, except after engagements have taken place.

3. The numbers and position of regiments, brigades, divisions, batteries, or pieces of artillery.

4. Allusions to the kind or quantity of arms, cannon or ammunition.

5. The number of transports, or kind of supplies transported in any movement.

6. The description of any movement, or any allusions to its object, until the same shall have been accomplished or defeated.

7. Suggestions of future movements or attacks.

8. Any allusions whatever to scouts or reconnoissances, whether accomplished or yet in prospect.

9. The position or location of camps, batteries, pickets, military roads or outposts.

10. The publication of official reports of operations without special permission from the Department Commander.

II. Violations of this order will be met with the severest punishment known to military law and usage in the field.

By order of Brig.-Gen. Q. A. GILLMORE.

ED. W. SERRE, Assistant Adjutant-General.

ISRAEL SEALY, Captain Forty-seventh New-York Volunteers, Acting Assistant Adjutant-General.

A STRIKE.

SHARP ORDER FROM CHIEF-QUARTERMASTER ELWELL.

From the New South.

The following circular has just been issued by the Chief Quartermaster of this Department. We indorse it fully. He should punish to the fullest extent of his power any insubordination among the employes at such a time as this. It is little better than a mutiny of troops in the face of the enemy.

CIRCULAR.

To the Employes of the Quartermaster's Department:

There must not be the least holding back or want of interest, or willingness to work all day, and all night too, when called on, or hesitation in obeying the order of the officer or chief man under whom you are placed. Any one who is thus guilty, shall be sent to work in the trenches, and in the works in the very front, at Morris Island.

I am determined to make short work of such worthless and wicked men as will not put forth every effort, and show an interest in the public service at this important time. Any man that will "strike" for higher wages in this emergency, should be shot.

J. J. ELWELL,
Chief Quartermaster Department of the South.

THE BIG GUN.

WHAT THE THREE HUNDRED POUND PARROTT IS EXPECTED TO DO.

From the Washington Republican.

The breaching power of the 10-inch 300-pounder Parrott rifled gun, now about to be used against the brick walls of Fort Sumter, will be best understood by comparing it with the ordinary 24-pounder siege gun, which was the largest gun employed for breaching fortifications in the Revolutionary war.

A 24-pounder round shot, which starts with a velocity of 1,625 feet per second, strikes an object at the distance of 3,500 yards, with a velocity of about 500 feet per second.

The 10-inch rifle 300 pound shot has an initial velocity of 1,111 feet, and has afterward a remaining velocity of 700 feet per second, at a distance of 3,500 yards.

From well-known mechanical laws, the resistance which these projectiles are capable of overcoming is equal to 32,750 pounds and 1,914,150 pounds, raised one foot in a second respectively. Making allowances for the difference of the diameters of these projectiles, it will be found that their penetrating power will be as 1 to 19.6.

The penetration of the 24-pounder shot at 3,500 yards, in brick work, is 32 inches. The penetration of the 10-inch projectile will therefore be between six and seven feet into the same material.

To use a more familiar illustration, the power of the 10-inch rifle shot at the distance of 3,500 yards, may be said to be equal to that of the united blows of 200 sledge hammers weighing 100 pounds each, falling from a height of ten feet and acting upon a drill ten inches in diameter.

From Albany.

THE TROOPS FURNISHED BY THE CITY OF NEW-YORK—THE SIXTEENTH NEW-HAMPSHIRE REGIMENT.

ALBANY, Thursday, Aug. 13.

An official report made by Adjutant-Gen. SPEAKER to Gov. SEYMOUR to-day, shows that New-York City has furnished from the beginning of the war 37,022 men in excess of all her quotas; not counting 20,001 men sent by her on occasions of sudden peril for the defence of the National Capital.

The Sixteenth New-Hampshire regiment, Col. FISK, arrived to-day from Fort Hudson, and took the Eastern train for home.

NEWS FROM FORTRESS MONROE

Reports of an English Doctor Escaped from Richmond.

A Mass Convention of Unionists Called in North Carolina.

A DELEGATION TO BE SENT TO WASHINGTON.

FORTRESS MONROE, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The gunboat *Memphis* arrived this morning from Fort Royal, and direct from our fleet off Charleston. They left the fleet on Sunday evening last, and bring no additional news. The siege was progressing satisfactorily.

The Seventh and Eighteenth army corps are united into one, and Maj.-Gen. FOSS leaves Fortress Monroe immediately to take command of that section of the Department in Newbern. Maj. BENJAMIN E. FOSTER, A. A. G.; W. H. HAYN, Medical Director; Lieut. CHARLES E. SEYMOUR, A. D. C., and Lieut. JAMES D. ARWINE, A. D. C., all of Gen. FOSS's old Staff, accompany him to his new field of labors in that Department.

The steamer *De Molay*, from Boston, arrived in Hampton Roads this morning.

An English doctor arrived at Fortress Monroe, to-day, from Richmond. The doctor gave his name, but wished it not published. He says he left Richmond last Saturday, and came by cars to Ivor Station on the Norfolk and Petersburgh Railroad, 56 miles this side of Petersburgh, which is as far as the cars are running. From Ivor he came in a Virginia carriage (a one-horse two-wheeled cart) to a point six miles this side of Suffolk, and from thence he came on foot to Norfolk. He reports that there are no troops, not even a guard, in Suffolk, also that there are no troops in Richmond, but the streets are filled with rebel officers. He saw no gunboats in the harbor at Richmond; but knows that they are building two ironclads, though he does not know how far they were advanced. The doctor was in Richmond five weeks, and complains of the high prices of board—$10 per week, and hard fare at that.

The Richmond *Enquirer*, of Monday last, expresses strong condemnation of the course the North Carolinians are pursuing, in calling a mass convention of the Unionists of North Carolina, for the purpose of sending a delegation to Washington, D. C.

The *Enquirer* speaks hopefully of Charleston, and claims that the works of Battery Wagner have been greatly strengthened.

The doctor also says that the Southerners express a great dislike to Gen. GRANT, and say that GRANT and HOOKER are the only Federal Generals that they fear.

THE DRAFT.

It Will Re-Commence on a Week from Next Monday.

FULL PARTICULARS CONCERNING IT.

Appreciating the deep-seated and wide-spread interest which every class in our community feels concerning the approaching Draft, and all matters connected with it, we have been at considerable pains to ascertain the exact state of affairs, the prospects and the Governmental determination.

Before the original lists were sent to Washington they were carefully examined and checked by the Enrolling Board; after they were filed in the office of Col. FOX, at Washington, a Council of enrolling officers met and reexamined them.

In consequence of the representations made by Gov. SEYMOUR, they are now undergoing a third examination, with so far as obtained, the result of approximate perfection of detail.

It is deemed best by the authorities to leave certain matters of preparation in the hands of the District Provost Marshals, and one of those matters is the date at which the draft shall take place.

In two, and possibly in more of the City Districts, the draft will be recommenced on Monday the twenty-fourth instant.

Ample preparations are being made for the protection of the force engaged in the operation, and no interference whatever will be permitted, as indeed none is anticipated.

A very gratifying feature of the *modus operandi* is this: To any drafted persons who, for whatever reason elect to go themselves to the army, a furlough of longer or shorter time will be granted for the purpose of the necessary preparation for departure, the settling up or arranging of business details and so on.

Substitutes will be expected to be in immediate readiness for service, and will of course expect no furlough.

All the lists will probably have undergone the necessary examination by the 24th of the month, and the probabilities are that by the 1st of September the whole affair will be over, all the $300 paid in, and the substitutes provided, or the conscripts in the service of the United States.

THE DRAFT ELSEWHERE.

In Orleans County, N. Y.

From the Orleans Republican, Aug. 12.

The draft in this District was not exempt from the curious incidents that mark the wheel of late. The enrolling officers had put down the names of all that they could see or hear of, including the lame, blind, deaf and dead. This swelled the enrollment list, and of course the quota to be drawn. Among the names in the wheel for this town we noticed that of Gaines K. Mason, who died in the United States service nearly a year since; and W. A. Sumner, who has not resided in this town in four years.

Among the drawn in this town are Joseph BRIGHAM and Hiram WARNER, neither of whom have ever walked without artificial aid. There is one clergyman, Rev. Mr. BABCOCK, drawn. The editor of this paper and the junior of the *American* both took prizes. So also did the foreman of the office and two compositors in the *American* office. The firms of BOWELL & BLAKE and FOSTER & COLLINS yield up all their members. Justice SEYMOUR is the only legal gentleman drawn, and the medical profession loses nobody. HENRY V. VAN DUZER, who lost an arm at Gaines' Mills, and is now a clerk at Washington, is also called for. Four volunteer officers, Capt. BEAN and Lieuts. GARDNER, KENYON and CAPRON are taken. So is O. F. SUMNER, whose drawing in Genesee County we mentioned last week.

In Gaines one Clergyman, Rev. Mr. BOGUE, is drawn.

Ridgeway loses its Supervisor, Mr. GRIMES, who is, we believe, the only "firebrand" Supervisor in the county. In this town one of the drawn is a boy four years of age—at least no other person answering to the name is known there.

In looking over the names the reader will doubtless discover other freaks of fortune.

In Philadelphia.

From the Ledger, Aug. 13.

In the several Congressional Districts in Philadelphia, where Boards of Enrollment are engaged in hearing claims to exemption, an average of 25 substitutes for each District is received daily. At noon on a squad of 300 is collected together, the men are forwarded to the Army of the Potomac, under a sufficient guard. In view of the fact that substitutes from other parts of the State, as well as from other States, are going forward, the army will soon be filled. In a short time the drafted men of Philadelphia will be required to report for duty, and the additions to the army will prove a large one.

The bill in equity, filed in the Supreme Court, to test the constitutionality of the draft, by praying an injunction to restrain Provost Marshal Jones from taking a drafted man, named Manuel, will not be moved before the first Monday in September. In another instance, a writ of habeas corpus has been issued from the Court of Quarter Sessions, at the instance of a drafted man. The writ has been directed to Gen. CADWALADER, in charge of the drafted men, and he will make a return to the writ, objecting to the jurisdiction of that Court. The case may be taken up on Tuesday, at which time the Quarter Sessions meets for the purpose of disposing of habeas corpus cases.

In New-Bedford, Mass.

From the New-Bedford Mercury, Aug. 12.

There were 96 conscripts before the Board of Enrollment at New-Bedford yesterday, of whom 22 received exemption papers, 19 furnished substitutes, and 14 passed.

The substitutes were taken to camp this morning.

The following is the official statement of the operations of the Board of Enrollment up to Aug. 10:

Exempt from disease	456
Exempt for other causes	247
Passed, and not furnished substitutes or commuted	121
Commuted	40
Furnished substitutes	169
Total exemptions	1,036

—being an average of 72 per cent. exempted and 28 per cent. passed.

Judge HOAR's decision holds the drafted man responsible if his substitute proves to have been a deserter. Conscripts hardly feel safe in investing in Canadian New-Yorkers, who may by and by be claimed for service due to Uncle SAM, in a capacity other than a substitute.

In Auburn.

The Auburn *Advertiser* says that five wagon-loads of conscripts, from Lyons and other towns in Wayne County, arrived in that city yesterday morning, to the tune of "Marching Along," rendered in sonorous tones from the occupants of the leading wagon, as they drove up to the Exchange for refreshments to man and beast—hay for the latter and good dinners for the former. They were a jolly set of fellows, and looked hearty and stout, as a general thing.

Departure of Recruits.

The draft rendezvous in New-Haven was pretty nearly cleaned out yesterday by the departure in the steamer *Detroit*, of 340 men for the army of the Potomac. Seventy-one of them are for the Second Rhode Island regiment, and the rest for the Fourteenth Connecticut, which has previously received 200 men from this post.

Miscellaneous Items.

—Three table-waiters at the American House in Boston were recently drafted and immediately absented to Westboro, N. H.; they were found by the Provost-Marshal. On inquiring that they were about to be taken back to Boston, the Copperheads of the place got up a meeting in opposition, which was inaugurated by an ex-naval officer belonging in the Tenth Ward of Boston, and bearing the name of a celebrated Mormon prophet, who held forth on the "unconstitutionality" of the Conscription law, &c. The proceedings were cut short by one of the citizens announcing that they had nothing to do about the law except to enforce it, and that they would take the prisoners by the boat about to leave—at the same time exhibiting a loaded revolver. The opposition at once subsided, and the deserters were brought away without further trouble.

—A strong, able-bodied man attempted to get an exemption on the ground that he was under bight in one of the Rhode Island districts. But the doctor noticed a peculiar twist in his back, and he at once grew two inches.

—A deserter recently made an attempt to swim from McNiel's Island, Portland Harbor, to the main land, but was pursued and caught. The fellow had the price of his services—$300—with him when he attempted the escape, but lost it on the way. Besides this, he will undoubtedly be liable to punishment as a deserter.

—One of the singular incidents of the conscription at Middleporo, N. H., was the drawing of two blind brothers, John and Joseph Hatine, of East Wareham.

—A substitute in the first Rhode Island district gave his name as Samuel Burns. On examination, the letters B. O. were handsomely marked on his breast. When asked, if his name was Samuel Burns, what was the meaning of the above letters, with a twinkle of the eye he exclaimed, "That's for Bridget Connelly, my sweetheart."

The Late Expedition Up the James River.

The New-Bedford *Standard* publishes a letter from one of the crew of the steamer *Commodore Barney*, giving the following particulars of the late reconnoissance up James River:

"Last Monday we started up the river with one Monitor and one small tug, beside ourselves. We got within eleven miles of Fort Darling, when a crowd of sharpshooters fired on our three boats, and the way we poured the canister and shell into those woods was a caution. Well, we shot them up for awhile, and went up within nine miles of Fort Darling, and the Monitor anchored; but Gen. HYNSON and his aide were on the Monitor, and they came on board our boat and wanted us to proceed further up the river; we got up yesterday, and we got within six miles of Fort Darling; we picked up a white man in a boat, who was making for the masters. We told him we'd shoot him if he didn't come aboard, so he came on board, and in five minutes after that a torpedo burst under our starboard bow. I and several others were right over it when it burst, and such a T-bore you can hardly imagine. I was sent about fifteen feet into the air, and came down in the water, which was whitening in all directions. A tug that followed behind us picked me up. Two of our crew went down for the second time; many others were nearly scalded; two or three got wounded, not seriously though. One of them was by my side talking at the time; his head was cut with a piece of iron plating. The water was thrown up in torrents as high as our smoke-pipe, and then came down on our decks, overflowing everything for a time. Some jumped overboard before they were hurt. I was the only one thrown overboard. It ripped up our deck forward, and carried away considerable of our plating.

"We came down to the Monitor and anchored all night of the 5th inst. On the 6th, at 4 A. M., got under way and came down the river, which is very narrow, and with high bluffs all the way. At 6 A. M., about two hundred sharpshooters fired on us, which drove us from our guns, and then they poured in six-pound howitzer balls with a vengeance. As we got past the bluff so that we could get range, we poured in the canister, but one of their shot passed through our boiler, and we soon had steam and drifted ashore. We were lasting badly, having been struck two feet below the water. We had had fired at their range that; we were aground three-fourths of an hour, and expected every minute they would be upon us. We were under a very high bluff and couldn't get our guns to bear at all. We were in a tight fix, and all that stopped them from coming on that hill was a long marsh that they couldn't cross. Finally the tug came back and towed us off. When we got down to the Monitor there was another big three foot hot just come up the river. The tugs towed the Monitor and she came home behind. We came out of it first-rate; not a man was hurt. When we got down to Malvern Hill they opened up awful fire on us, the same way as the others did—sharpshooters to drive us away from our guns; then the shell and shot were terrible, raking us fore and aft. Remember we had no steam at all. They waited until the Monitor got by, then they cooked iron into us rough and ready, and we into them, when the sharpshooters stopped firing.

"We are completely riddled. One of our pilot-houses is knocked to pieces, the Captain's room is done up, and the Purser's office looks like a carpenter's shop. The Doctor was lying in his berth, and a six-pound shot went through the whole length of it and never touched the old fellow. The bullets came thick as hail, and the protection we had was the iron plating that was not touched by the torpedo on the port side. The whole crew had to lie flat when the bullets came.

"The Captain is a brave little fellow, encouraging us men all the time and no hard words spoken. The rest of the officers don't want to try it over again, and I don't blame them."

Arrivals in the City.

Hons. Sanford E. Church, Albion; O. Vibbard, Albany; and E. G. Knight, Massachusetts; Col. J. W. Shafer, Illinois; and Henry Wilson, U. S. N., are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Cols. R. O. Smoot, Washington; C. M. Alexander, U. S. A.; and T. Chapman, Rochester; Capt. Upton and family, San Francisco; Thomas Sally, California; C. E. and E. A. Armstrong, Rhode Island; and J. C. Woods, Nicaragua, are at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Hon. Wm. G. Fargo, San Francisco; S. C. Robinson, Washington, D. C.; Col. Farrar, Fort Richmond; Col. Dahlgreen, U. S. Army; J. De Graff and H. L. Pilkington, U. S. Navy; and Capt. M. A. Phelon, Second Massachusetts Volunteers, are at the Astor House.

Hon. O. Kendrick, Waterbury; Capt. Gardiner, steamer *Arago*; Col. W. S. Tisdale, Fifty-ninth New-York; G. L. Stiles, Fishkill; C. Arnold, Pawtucket; and Capt. G. S. Burns, Connecticut, are at the Lafarge House.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

Arrival of the Ocean Queen, with $313,464 in Treasure.

News from Central America and the United States of Colombia.

The steamship *Ocean Queen*, from Aspinwall on the 5th inst., arrived at this port yesterday afternoon, with the California mails and passengers, and $313,464 in treasure, consigned as follows:

FROM ASPINWALL.			
Order	$800	C. M. Grant & Co.	[illegible]
Barnes, Valentine Rus- sing	[illegible]	Jno. J. Boorman & Co.	$[illegible]
Parsons & Potter	[illegible]	A. G. Hawley	[illegible]
Colgate & Hoffman	9,[illegible]	H. Cohen & Co.	[illegible]
J. & W. Smith	[illegible]	Duncan, Sherman & Co.	[illegible]
Mrs. Isaac Dubois	[illegible]	Wells, Fargo & Co.	[illegible]
		Harmony's Nephews	[illegible]
Total	64,[illegible]	Total	[illegible]
FROM SAN FRANCISCO.		From Aspinwall	[illegible]
Order	$[illegible]	Grand total	$313,464
Jo. Hallgarten & Co.	[illegible]		
De Witt, Kibbe & Co.	[illegible]		
Jennings & Brewster	15,[illegible]		

Our correspondence, with details of General Ammen and Isthmus news, will be found below:

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Commercial News—Condition of Salvador.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PANAMA, Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1863.

The Panama Railroad Company's steamer *Salvador*, from Central American ports, arrived here on the evening of the 4th inst., bringing 20 passengers and the following freight:

For Southampton—416 cerrones countersoil, 1 bale cotton, 5 packages treasure. Liverpool—640 cerrones sarsaparilla, 7 bales cotton, 400 hides, 2 bales skins, 1 box silver. New-York—4 bags cotton

ADDITIONAL FOREIGN NEWS.

NEWS ABOUT THE FASHIONS.

[illegible] within another month it will reign [illegible] in the London Advertiser, so [illegible] the latest intelligence from the Continent. [illegible] Velvet is still the most fashionable material for dresses, or in white or black lace, black taffeta, and even tulle. The black lace talma must be trimmed with a profusion of gimpes. The full sleeves, cut [illegible] Vest waist, are worn with several rows of gimped lace, each secured with a narrow ribbon of gimped lace. Gimp should be introduced to make them little too full.

Before writing about small dresses, which constitute, more or less, a visiting toilette, it is well to explain some sections relative to dresses of the present time, the distinguishing style of which is the same pure the classical, in short, the picturesque.

The fashionable world has gone back to the Louis XV. style—the raised skirt over a colored petticoat. The long trains no longer sweep the dust or mud [illegible] form an essential part of the toilette. Gitane [illegible] on the front with lighter jacets and high basques. The petticoats, also, should suit in color the dresses with which they are worn. The most useful petticoats are of white English wool, worn under or straight gown.

Variety of trimming is quite unusual, even [illegible] boots sleeves, [illegible] of. The same [illegible]

Trimmings are worn in the form, and on as in front; trimmed on the shoulder with flowing ribbons, pattern of passementerie, black lace, or guipure.

Many of our readers prefer seeing the bulletin in detail, being able in this way to unroll, as well as [illegible] to understand, in short. We will, therefore, describe the [illegible]

Robe of taffetas, of the new shade of brown, trimmed with imperium placed [illegible], and in each hollow [illegible] of velvet on the front of the body; and others up the seam of the sleeve, between rows of insertion. Bodice of embroidered, with shape certain covered with black lace. Wheat ears and corn, the [illegible] of the same, crossed over one of the crown.

Robe of merchant blue taffetas, trimmed with plaited flounces, separated by broad chicorées. The body is trimmed with narrow [illegible] chicorées.

Robe of taffetas, to choose of black and white, [illegible] white ribbon. The body is trimmed to match. Bright straw bonnet, with a bunches of spotted black tulle, forming a Marie Stuart point in front; trimmed [illegible]

Robe of mohair, of the geralde shade, crossed with [illegible] of black. A gathered flounce, about six inches wide, with a band of blue satin, [illegible] gold; above this is a row of pattes of taffetas, about three inches apart. The body has a bisque bodice, [illegible] trimmed to match; the sleeve [illegible] by an ornament of taffetas much narrower than that on the skirt. Straw bonnet trimmed [illegible] to match. This last dress is suitable for a young lady.

Another, of the same description, is of gray tabou, trimmed with five rows of black velvet above the hem. The [illegible] to match. Straw [illegible] jacket. The sleeves are put on in [illegible] and drawn in at the bottom. The collet is trimmed to match the dress.

[illegible] pretty dress that pale drab or tarnum [illegible] trimmed with graduated valrede on the bottom of the skirt and collet.

Narrow stripes and checks are much used for young [illegible] dresses. The bodices are not low and square in front, with but little sleeves, and worn under a chemisette of tucked muslin with puffed sleeves.

White dresses are much worn. Plain muslins are made with three goffered flounces, or one broader one with a *Sentiments* above, or, still more fashionably, with ornaments of black guipure.

Muslin dresses over blue, lilac or pink taffetas are becoming quite in demand. These robes are made high, and the camail or pearl is lined with the same color as the skirt. The bottom of the skirt is trimmed in various styles, sometimes with fluted flounces with a heading, or with a simple hem, an insertion of Valenciennes, or guipure mixed with narrow frills of muslin. These robes of organdi, lined with colors, are worn for carriage drives, wedding visits, or evening dress. A broad sash of taffetas, fringed at the ends, is now worn with this toilette.

White alpacas, or foulard, thought, are trimmed with colored flounces or braided in colors. Plaid in Poitou are also used as trimmings on white alpacas.

The burnous, the camail, and the paletot are made of the same material as the dress. The burnous is ornamented by the position hat of gray straw with colored feathers.

The organdi dresses over colored silk are always worn with rice-straw, gerbaline, chip, tulle, crape, or Italian straw bonnets, lightly and elegantly trimmed.

We have noticed a very elegant sea-side dress, of *leather-colored taffetas, trimmed with a band of real leather*, with steel edgings, below which was a deep fringe of thick silk, nearly reaching the bottom of the skirt. The body, which was ornamented with leather [illegible] to match the skirt, was opened over a waistcoat of plaited cambric, with a jabot of lace placed on the edge of a rich insertion. Flat sleeves, open to the elbow, trimmed to match. A leather purse, ornamented with steel, suspended to the leather belt. A college hat, of Italian straw, with the edge covered with velvet the same shade as the dress. A feather to match, turned round on one side, was attached to the crown by a band of leather, fastened with steel clasps in front.

The following is very elegant and suitable for full dress: A robe of mauve taffetas, trimmed on the skirt with bouquets of mauve and white feathers, mixed with chenilles. These bouquets appear to be fastened upon the skirt by an insertion or Chantilly lace, tied like a ribbon bow, à Louis XV., at the bottom of each bouquet. The corsage is edged with [illegible] Corsage somewhat [illegible] long, buttoned up the front. A splendid burnous of Chantilly lace is worn over this toilette, which is completed by a mauve crape bonnet, trimmed with white and mauve feathers and black lace.

Grenadines are much admired both for their excellence and lightness.

A simple and elegant dress is composed of pearl-gray taffetas with long train, and the indispensable ruffered frill at bottom; plain high body and scarf of the same material, with the plaits at the back forming down with ribbon rows, and sleeves made with puffings; a deep frill of guipure all round the scarf.

A second robe of maize colored jaune Mexicain. The bottom of the skirt is trimmed above the hem, with a broad insertion of antique guipure placed over white taffetas. A burnous of the same material, with an insertion all round; the hood composed of guipure lined with white taffetas. The tassels of floss silk are placed at distances up the cord, so as to fall over the back of the hood when raised. Shaded feathers are much used as ornaments on bonnets. Flowers are generally adopted.

A NOTE FOR THE DOCTORS.

A REMEDY FOR DIPTHERIA.

From Galignani.

The affection which comprises those known under the various names of bad sore throat, angina, croup, and the French *angine couenneuse*, has hitherto been considered one of the most difficult to cure. We some time back gave an account of Dr. TARDIEU's method, which consists in administering calcar under the form of a syrup; but we now find in the *Revue Thérapeutique*, a paper by Dr. A. DE GRAND BOURGES, Vice Consul at Havanna, in which he mentions ice as an infallible specific. As this, from its extreme simplicity, would, if efficacious, be far superior to any yet tried, we cannot refrain from quoting the cases mentioned by the author, who had published this remedy as far back as February, 1860, and consequently considers it not without reason, if its efficacy is such as he describes it) of the inexcusable negligence of practitioners in not taking notice of it, thereby allowing many valuable lives to be lost. The following cases came under his observation after that date. In March and April, 1861, the disease in question broke out under an epidemic form, and nearly attacked children without distinction that in one week three young women died in one house. One of Dr. DE GRAND's patients, afflicted with diphtheritic, was seized with it, and as he could not immediately attend, owing to the scarcity of the case, another physician was called in, who ordered [illegible] and aluminous gargles, which produced [illegible] Dr. DE GRAND came, and found the tonsils greatly swollen and a thin membrane covering them. He immediately administered small pieces of ice, and by the following morning the tumefaction of the tonsils had nearly disappeared. That very evening she was enabled to take food. Profiting by this example, a few days [illegible] were seized with the same, he prescribing the same preliminary measures as those of his colleagues, but not without calling for the doctor, at once [illegible] and was rid of his sore throat in a few hours. Seven days before Dr. DE GRAND, who happened to be in the country, was summoned to a child, who had been suffering under the disease for some forty-eight hours; all symptoms had failed, and the parents, relations and friends of the family were plunged in the deepest sorrow. When Dr. DE GRAND ordered ice, a general cry of astonishment was uttered by all present. "Ice kill a sore throat! Impossible! It was never heard of!" Dr. DE GRAND maintained his ground, and after much [illegible] during which much time was lost, he succeeded at last. Before 24 hours were over the patient was in full convalescence. Being at Vera-Cruz on a visitation, he was requested to see a young man who was attacked with diphtheritic sore throat, with symptoms of a most alarming character. He [illegible] with hydrochloric acid and nutritional gargles. Here again he had to battle with the prejudices of the family, but was at length allowed to administer ice. The young man recovered in the course of the following day. Dr. DE GRAND has now been using this remedy for the last twelve years, without having met with a single failure. This is what he says, but even if only half of what he says were true, the method should be tried by others. Cold gargles have been [illegible]

[illegible] recently from a fall at Lucerne, when a [illegible] [illegible] Light Infantry of the French Imperial Guard. When the sword is withdrawn the upper part of the scabbard contracts to one-half its length, and consequently is much more convenient during the period of action. When the sword is returned to the scabbard it resumes its usual form.

—CHARLES FOX, a brilliant Bohemian, the other day, made the leap from Sunderland to Brittany, a distance of 300 miles on the ocean, in an open boat, a distance of 15 miles. The oarsman, on the feet of the two Cambridge students, who recently rowed from Boston to Beverly, extending over three hundred miles, in a couple of wherries.

—In a report recently presented to the French Academy of Sciences, by Dr. GUERIN, that gentleman says: "Hitherto it has been impossible to determine, with any degree of certainty, whether eggs will produce cock or hen chickens. He says that after three years' experience he has found that eggs containing male germs are wrinkled at the small end, and those containing female germs are perfectly smooth at both ends.

—A Naples letter, of the 25th, says: "The heat is more intense than we have felt for many years; the sun shines every night as well as by day, and rain, which has not visited us for four months, still keeps off. Every blade of grass is parched up, and the opinoccia is likely to come in aid of the Church to conclude a perpetual fast."

—Among the Mexican prisoners of war who have arrived at Rome, 12 Generals, 30 Colonels, 25 Lieut.-Colonels, 55 Commandants or financial and pay-office agents, 128 Captains, 187 Lieutenants and 194 Sub-lieutenants.

—The *Prensa Ottagiana*, a Government official paper, announces the royal palace at Naples, having a large private income, has disposed of the whole of his salary, amounting to 12,500f., in works of charity and beneficence.

—Mr. TEMPERLEY, the surgeon who recently performed an operation on the King of the Belgians, has, says the *Journal de Bruxelles*, "received a fee of 100,000f., and the Cross of Commander of the Order of Leopold."

—The German journals state that on the 22d ult., at Mulheim, on the Ruhr, the wife of a day laborer gave birth to four infants, two boys and two girls. The mother and the children, adds the report, "are doing well."

—EMMA LIVRY, the French dancer died on the 22d, at Nesilly, after some long months of intense torture since the accident of her gauze dress catching fire on the boards of the opera.

GERRITT SMITH ON THE WAR.

A Speech Delivered to the Citizens of Albany.

From the Albany Evening Journal, Aug 12.

The unusual hour named for Mr. SMITH's speech (8 o'clock in the afternoon) prevented a full attendance as was desirable. There were, nevertheless, 500 or 600 present.

Mr. SMITH opened his speech by the question: "What is it to be for our country? Emphatically it is a duty now to go for our country, let the cause be all right, let it be all wrong. To go for his life is to go for all her causes—to go for liberal—and to love her with that fervent love for freedom, which took pleasure even in her scourge, and favored the due thereof. *He who is a true patriot will never give up any portion of his country, even to secure the abolition of Slavery.* To go for our country is to go for her chosen form of Government—for her Constitution—not to pray for it, or to affect a regard for it, for the very purpose of aiding the enemy, but in favor it for its great principles of justice, liberty and equality. But the most effective way to go for our country is to go against her enemies. We must stand by the Government. Not to stand by the Government is not to stand by the country. The Government represents the country, and is bound to be strong, pure and patriotic men. The Government, for whom I did not vote, is a pure and an intelligent man. WASHINGTON always excepted, we never had a President more to be honored and more to be loved than ABRAHAM LINCOLN. Whatever is pro-Slavery in his character is the result of early education—for which no man is accountable. You may not have detected this defect, as I have; for your thoughts have not like mine been concentrated on this one subject these twenty or thirty years. The evidence I have found in his recent retaliatory proclamation. In that proclamation he says: For every Union soldier taken and sold into Slavery, one rebel prisoner shall be put to compulsory labor on the public works. But this is no due offset for compulsory labor in not Slavery. The miner and the apprentice are subjected to compulsory labor. The great calamity of the slave is, that he is deprived of the protection of law, and thrust down to the level of the brute. But a man put to compulsory labor on the public works is still under the protection of law. How could the President have fallen into such a mistake? *For every Federal soldier sold into slavery, at least a thousand rebels should be put to compulsory labor*, to render the retaliation equivalent.

But I said we must stand by the Government. The man who says the Government has changed the purpose of the war utters a blasted sentiment. No wonder there are make when men in high positions utter the slander that the war is now waged to abolish Slavery. The object of the war is to secure the constitutional rights of the Union, and to establish a lasting peace. To buy them off by concessions would dishonor the nation. No other nation would respect us. If compelled to yield, we might hope for the sympathy and respect; but as dishonorable as we would be as a nation during disgrace.

We must not idly discuss what we will do with the rebels and their property when we conquer them. Such speculations are premature and only tend to divide loyal men. It is time enough to discuss these questions when the enemy is conquered. Besides, no man can to-day say what should be done with them. If the nation's heart is hardened by the slave oligarchy, one course of action will be necessary; while, if they show a humble spirit, quite another course of action will be proper. We can then afford to be generous.

We must also insist that, during the prosecution of this war, all other nations must let us alone. Ours is a family quarrel with which there must be no outside interference. We will tolerate neither intervention nor mediation. To any one we shall preface the question, and the other we shall construe into war.

I have said we must insist on the unconditional submission of the rebels. Our opposition to the rebels must also be unconditional. We must make no conditions on behalf of the Republican, Democratic, or Abolition parties. *We must make no conditions.* If the rebellion triumphs, let all else die, for all, family, wealth, party—all would be worthless without a country. *The rebellion must be put down at whatever cost or at whatever sacrifice.* The Republican or Democrat who would stand on his political party, is in league with rebels. Are there Abolitionists who will not go for crushing treason unless Government shall pledge itself to prosecute the war until Slavery is abolished? Let me say to them, *I have no sympathy with you. I know you only as enemies of my country.* The true doctrine is—let some what may of Temperance, of Abolitionism, of Republicanism of Democracy, the rebellion must and shall be put down. It is not now put down, only because we have not been as earnest in putting it down as the rebels have in putting it up. We are, in this war, to be brothers. We are not to be moved by the party name, even only as anti-rebellion men. In the course of my long life, I have had to do something against intemperance and Slavery; but since the bombardment of Sumpter, I have been ready to work with all against rebellion—to work, if you please, with the greatest drunkard on my right, and the greatest Pro-Slavery man on my left. If Abolitionists refuse to work with me, without some pledge for the abolition of Slavery, it is little to their credit that they allow the sin of Slavery to blind their eyes to the greater sin of rebellion. If, as some say, Slavery and rebellion are one, then put down the rebellion and Slavery falls with it.

Mr. S. proceeded, at length, to speak of his veneration for the Constitution, but of his greater veneration for the country, arguing that it is better to have the country than the Constitution even; for the country never could be transmitted, while the Constitution would be.

Gov. SEWARD had said that the North had answered the South by talking against Slavery. But talk is no substitution for war. Our Government tolerates talk even against better things than Slavery—if anything better can be imagined! But you legislated against Slavery. Very well, perhaps so. But has not the South legislated unconstitutionally in favor of Slavery. But, for both Slavery and Rebellion there was the open door of the Supreme Court. The South, however, preferred war to that tribunal. Dwelling upon this point at length, Mr. SMITH said he had spoken somewhat disparagingly of our war men. But I meant we were all one then; men in the work of putting down the rebellion. I would not allow any other idea to interpose. Then we should conquer—conquer speedily—conquer grandly.

Now, I wish to say a word on the draft, and the Conscription act under which the draft is made. It is held that the Constitution does not give Congress the power to compel men to join our armies, and drive back and subdue those who are making the fields red of the nation. Why, then, does it mean Congress with the power to declare war, raise armies and create navies? It seems to give much power, while in fact it is only a source of weakness. But I have the right. It could not be a National Legislature without it. Of course, I am glad the Constitution recognizes the right; but it don't create it. The right is in other than the Constitution—it inheres in every nation. The Constitution recognizes creates the right when the Bible creates the right of a parent to govern and correct his child. The one is an inherent parental right, the other an inherent national right.

But the people tell us the law is oppressive to the poor. The State Militia law is oppressive to the poor, but the National Conscript law saves the poor. Under the State law many minor officials are exempt; under the National law only the President and Vice-President, heads of Executive Departments, the Judiciary and Governors of States, and these in the main would naturally be exempt by reason of their [illegible] Now, what think you of signatures? Do you [illegible] the poor? But you give me a law as tender of the poor, so mercilessly imparting of the [illegible]

But it is said, that three hundred dollars commutation money [illegible] that he so [illegible] that does not oppress the poor? I will be so. [illegible] There is no provision of the law so merciful to the poor. Were there no commutation, clause in the law, the price of a substitute would run up through [illegible] and the sword is returned to the scabbard it resumes its usual form.

Colonel FIRE, a brilliant Bohemian, the other day, made the leap from Sunderland to Brittany, a distance of 300 miles on the ocean, in an open boat, a distance of 15 miles. The oarsman, on the feet of the two Cambridge students, who recently rowed from Boston to Beverly, extending over three hundred miles, in a couple of wherries.

—In a report recently presented to the French Academy of Sciences, by Dr. GUERIN, that gentleman says: "Hitherto it has been impossible to determine, with any degree of certainty, whether eggs will produce cock or hen chickens. He says that after three years' experience he has found that eggs containing male germs are wrinkled at the small end, and those containing female germs are perfectly smooth at both ends.

—A Naples letter, of the 25th, says: "The heat is more intense than we have felt for many years; the sun shines every night as well as by day, and rain, which has not visited us for four months, still keeps off. Every blade of grass is parched up, and the opinoccia is likely to come in aid of the Church to conclude a perpetual fast."

—Among the Mexican prisoners of war who have arrived at Rome, 12 Generals, 30 Colonels, 25 Lieut.-Colonels, 55 Commandants or financial and pay-office agents, 128 Captains, 187 Lieutenants and 194 Sub-lieutenants.

—The *Prensa Ottagiana*, a Government official paper, announces the royal palace at Naples, having a large private income, has disposed of the whole of his salary, amounting to 12,500f., in works of charity and beneficence.

—Mr. TEMPERLEY, the surgeon who recently performed an operation on the King of the Belgians, has, says the *Journal de Bruxelles*, "received a fee of 100,000f., and the Cross of Commander of the Order of Leopold."

—The German journals state that on the 22d ult., at Mulheim, on the Ruhr, the wife of a day laborer gave birth to four infants, two boys and two girls. The mother and the children, adds the report, "are doing well."

—EMMA LIVRY, the French dancer died on the 22d, at Nesilly, after some long months of intense torture since the accident of her gauze dress catching fire on the boards of the opera.

GERRITT SMITH ON THE WAR.

A Speech Delivered to the Citizens of Albany.

From the Albany Evening Journal, Aug 12.

The unusual hour named for Mr. SMITH's speech (8 o'clock in the afternoon) prevented a full attendance as was desirable. There were, nevertheless, 500 or 600 present.

Mr. SMITH opened his speech by the question: "What is it to be for our country? Emphatically it is a duty now to go for our country, let the cause be all right, let it be all wrong. To go for his life is to go for all her causes—to go for liberal—and to love her with that fervent love for freedom, which took pleasure even in her scourge, and favored the due thereof. *He who is a true patriot will never give up any portion of his country, even to secure the abolition of Slavery.* To go for our country is to go for her chosen form of Government—for her Constitution—not to pray for it, or to affect a regard for it, for the very purpose of aiding the enemy, but to favor it for its great principles of justice, liberty and equality. But the most effective way to go for our country is to go against her enemies. We must stand by the Government. Not to stand by the Government is not to stand by the country. The Government represents the country, and is bound to be strong, pure and patriotic men. The Government, for whom I did not vote, is a pure and an intelligent man. WASHINGTON always excepted, we never had a President more to be honored and more to be loved than ABRAHAM LINCOLN. Whatever is pro-Slavery in his character is the result of early education—for which no man is accountable. You may not have detected this defect, as I have; for your thoughts have not like mine been concentrated on this one subject these twenty or thirty years. The evidence I have found in his recent retaliatory proclamation. In that proclamation he says: For every Union soldier taken and sold into Slavery, one rebel prisoner shall be put to compulsory labor on the public works. But this is no due offset for compulsory labor in not Slavery. The miner and the apprentice are subjected to compulsory labor. The great calamity of the slave is, that he is deprived of the protection of law, and thrust down to the level of the brute. But a man put to compulsory labor on the public works is still under the protection of law. How could the President have fallen into such a mistake? *For every Federal soldier sold into slavery, at least a thousand rebels should be put to compulsory labor*, to render the retaliation equivalent.

But I said we must stand by the Government. The man who says the Government has changed the purpose of the war utters a blasted sentiment. No wonder there are make when men in high positions utter the slander that the war is now waged to abolish Slavery. The object of the war is to secure the constitutional rights of the Union, and to establish a lasting peace. To buy them off by concessions would dishonor the nation. No other nation would respect us. If compelled to yield, we might hope for the sympathy and respect; but as dishonorable as we would be as a nation during disgrace.

We must not idly discuss what we will do with the rebels and their property when we conquer them. Such speculations are premature and only tend to divide loyal men. It is time enough to discuss these questions when the enemy is conquered. Besides, no man can to-day say what should be done with them. If the nation's heart is hardened by the slave oligarchy, one course of action will be necessary; while, if they show a humble spirit, quite another course of action will be proper. We can then afford to be generous.

We must also insist that, during the prosecution of this war, all other nations must let us alone. Ours is a family quarrel with which there must be no outside interference. We will tolerate neither intervention nor mediation. To any one we shall preface the question, and the other we shall construe into war.

I have said we must insist on the unconditional submission of the rebels. Our opposition to the rebels must also be unconditional. We must make no conditions on behalf of the Republican, Democratic, or Abolition parties. *We must make no conditions.* If the rebellion triumphs, let all else die, for all, family, wealth, party—all would be worthless without a country. *The rebellion must be put down at whatever cost or at whatever sacrifice.* The Republican or Democrat who would stand on his political party, is in league with rebels. Are there Abolitionists who will not go for crushing treason unless Government shall pledge itself to prosecute the war until Slavery is abolished? Let me say to them, *I have no sympathy with you. I know you only as enemies of my country.* The true doctrine is—let some what may of Temperance, of Abolitionism, of Republicanism of Democracy, the rebellion must and shall be put down. It is not now put down, only because we have not been as earnest in putting it down as the rebels have in putting it up. We are, in this war, to be brothers. We are not to be moved by the party name, even only as anti-rebellion men. In the course of my long life, I have had to do something against intemperance and Slavery; but since the bombardment of Sumpter, I have been ready to work with all against rebellion—to work, if you please, with the greatest drunkard on my right, and the greatest Pro-Slavery man on my left. If Abolitionists refuse to work with me, without some pledge for the abolition of Slavery, it is little to their credit that they allow the sin of Slavery to blind their eyes to the greater sin of rebellion. If, as some say, Slavery and rebellion are one, then put down the rebellion and Slavery falls with it.

Mr. S. proceeded, at length, to speak of his veneration for the Constitution, but of his greater veneration for the country, arguing that it is better to have the country than the Constitution even; for the country never could be transmitted, while the Constitution would be.

Gov. SEWARD had said that the North had answered the South by talking against Slavery. But talk is no substitution for war. Our Government tolerates talk even against better things than Slavery—if anything better can be imagined! But you legislated against Slavery. Very well, perhaps so. But has not the South legislated unconstitutionally in favor of Slavery. But, for both Slavery and Rebellion there was the open door of the Supreme Court. The South, however, preferred war to that tribunal. Dwelling upon this point at length, Mr. SMITH said he had spoken somewhat disparagingly of our war men. But I meant we were all one then; men in the work of putting down the rebellion. I would not allow any other idea to interpose. Then we should conquer—conquer speedily—conquer grandly.

Now, I wish to say a word on the draft, and the Conscription act under which the draft is made. It is held that the Constitution does not give Congress the power to compel men to join our armies, and drive back and subdue those who are making the fields red of the nation. Why, then, does it mean Congress with the power to declare war, raise armies and create navies? It seems to give much power, while in fact it is only a source of weakness. But I have the right. It could not be a National Legislature without it. Of course, I am glad the Constitution recognizes the right; but it don't create it. The right is in other than the Constitution—it inheres in every nation. The Constitution recognizes creates the right when the Bible creates the right of a parent to govern and correct his child. The one is an inherent parental right, the other an inherent national right.

But the people tell us the law is oppressive to the poor. The State Militia law is oppressive to the poor, but the National Conscript law saves the poor. Under the State law many minor officials are exempt; under the National law only the President and Vice-President, heads of Executive Departments, the Judiciary and Governors of States, and these in the main would naturally be exempt by reason of their [illegible]

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Doom of the Sixteen.

LIST OF [illegible] BEFORE THE [illegible]

TERM OF THE COURT OF SESSIONS.

The Court of General Sessions adjourned yesterday [illegible] The Court has been mainly occupied during the present Term in the trial of cases growing out of the late riots. There are many indictments yet pending against participators in the riots, and many complaints are on file in the District Attorney's office, on which no indictments have yet been found, but owing to the extreme heat of the weather, and to the fact that in many of the riots among the participating authorities there to control the chain of evidence against the parties under arrest, the Recorder concluded not to continue the August Term of the Court any longer than two weeks. Enough cases have been tried, however, during these two weeks to give the sixteen a foretaste of the doom that awaits them, and to serve as an example to each one may be disposed to renew the counsel which were whispered in this City last month. In all the cases tried during this Term, of persons charged with crime committed during the riots, there has been only one acquittal, and that was in the case of a man who was proved to have been forced to join the mob against his will, and also escaped from the rioters as soon as he got a chance. In one case the jury did not agree, and in all the other cases tried the jury promptly found a verdict of guilty. The cases which remained pending at the adjournment of the Court were, on motion of the District-Attorney, transferred to the Court of Over and Terminer, which holds its next regular session in October. More important cases than any that have been tried during the last week will be brought on at that term—cases of murder, and arson committed during the riots—the details of which, when brought out by the testimony, will cause the community to stand aghast with horror. It is to be hoped that a Judge will occupy the bench of the Over and Terminer who will perform his duty to the public with the same fearlessness, impartiality and justice that have characterized the course of Recorder HOFFMAN during the recent trials.

CLOSING REMARKS.

At the opening of the Session, yesterday morning, a large audience had collected to witness the closing of the Court. Two convicts who had been tried, but had been postponed, were brought up to receive their sentence—the final judgment of the Court, and many of them had friends in Court to witness the last act of their degradation and to hear them a final adieu.

The first prisoner called to the bar was

John Halligan, a youth of 20, convicted of riot. The Recorder said that his was one of the minor cases of guilt, and in consideration of his previous good character, which he had learned to the satisfaction of the Court, he would be mild with him and sentence him to the Penitentiary for thirty days.

Patrick Hennedy and Daniel McGovern, convicted of riot, were next brought out. The Recorder said the evidence showed their cases to be much worse than that of Halligan, and he should sentence them to two months each in the Penitentiary.

Patrick Butler, a boy of 14 years of age, who pleaded guilty to participating in the mob, was sent to the House of Refuge.

James H. Whittier, alias Webster, the man who was convicted on Wednesday of riot, in connection with the attack on the *Tribune* office, was next placed at the bar.

W. F. Howe, Esq., one of the counsel, asked for a postponement of the sentence to enable his counsel to look through the indictment on which the prisoner was tried, which he thought was defective in some material points, and therefore in his client in law. He said there was three indictments against his client—one for riot, one for burglary and one for arson.

Edmon Blankman, another of prisoner's counsel, joined in the request for a postponement, and said that the first indictment shown him by the District-Attorney, was entirely different from the one on which his client was tried. He was surprised, and he might say astonished, when he came into the court for trial, to find an entirely new indictment against the prisoner, and had not had time to examine it.

The Recorder said he would postpone the prisoner then, but at the request of counsel would give them a few moments to examine the indictment and present their objections to it.

After a short consultation between counsel, Mr. Howe said they had concluded not to press a motion in arrest of judgment, as they were satisfied that they would be able to serve their client quite as effectually in another way. He would, however, ask the Court, in passing sentence, to take into consideration the good character of the prisoner, as established by the testimony, and to let it have its due weight in lightening the sentence of the Court.

The Recorder said that he had no count, from the testimony this morning, that the prisoner was present at the riot in front of the *Tribune* office; nor was there any doubt that if there, he was the leader of the riot. In this respect, it differed from all the other cases tried during the term, where it had been found impossible to select out and identify any particular individual as the ringleader of the mob. The prisoner was *evidently a man of intelligence and force of character*—just such a man as would be fitted to be the leader of a mob—and as it was clearly proven that he was the leader on this occasion, it was a duty which the Court owed to the community to make an example of him. He should therefore give him the full extent of the law, and sentence him to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for one year and to pay a fine of one Thousand Dollars, also to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for one year,

The Hanging of the Negroes in Clarkson-street.

ANOTHER WRONGER IN CUSTODY.

JOHN HEGGS, an Irish laborer, aged about 25 years, was arrested yesterday on the charge of having been one of those who, as a leader of the riot on Monday, the 13th of July last, aided in the hanging and burning of the negro FRANKLIN in Clarkson-street. ALICE HEGGS, of No. 28 Cornelia-street, and MARY KENNY, of No. 178 Prince-street, testified that on the day in question they saw these colored men walking through Varick-street; that when they arrived at the corner of Charlton-street, the prisoner, with a number of other men, came out of a liquor-store, and immediately made a furious attack on the colored men; FRANKLIN, the deceased, was one of them; stones and bludgeons were used by the attacking party; the colored men ran pursued for several blocks; the deceased was finally caught, and after having been beaten and maltreated in a most unmerciful manner, that he was almost insensible, he was hanged to a tree; a fire was then kindled beneath the body as it was suspended from a limb, and the remains were nearly consumed by the flames in the course of two hours; there was a large crowd surrounding the body during the whole time it was burning, and foremost among the crowds who were hanging and burning the unfortunate man was Michael Heggs; witnesses further testified that several other colored men were chased and beaten in that vicinity by the mob soon after the deceased was hung.

Christopher Delano, of No. 20 Charlton-street, also witnessed the assault upon the colored people, and positively identified the accused as having been one of the leaders in the hanging and burning of FRANKLIN. This witness described the scenes that took place while the body was suspended from the tree as horrible and barbarous in the last degree. The acts committed by Hibernians and his co-workers in the dying agonies are too brutal for publication.

The prisoner was committed by the examining magistrate to await the action of the criminal courts. Officer JOY, of the Twenty-eighth Precinct, is entitled to much credit for the adroit and fearless manner in which he effected the arrest of the culprit.

Were Arrests of Ringleaders in the Riots.

DANIEL CONLEY, a native of Ireland, aged about 28 years, by occupation a laborer, and THOS. KEENAN, also an Irishman, aged 40 years, contractor, were arraigned yesterday before Justice KELLY, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, charged, on the complaint of JOHN ALCOCK, a soldier belonging to the Invalid corps, with having been leaders of a large number of men and boys, who, on Monday, the 13th of July last, made an attack on buildings in Third-avenue, near Forty-third-street.

Alcock testified that his company was ordered in the vicinity of Provost-Marshal Jenkins' office at about the time the riots was first by the mob. When the soldiers undertook to stop the proceedings and clear the sidewalks of the rioters, as they were directed to do, the crowd made an attack upon them, and by means of stones, brickbats and clubs many members of his company were badly injured, among whom was this complainant. He made back this musket from him, broke his left arm with a club, and otherwise beat and bruised him so badly that he was picked up insensible and conveyed to the New-York Hospital, where he has since remained under medical treatment. Alcock was quite positive that the above-named prisoners were among those who led the mob upon this occasion.

JOHN R. BOUTROUT, of No. 221 East Thirty-ninth-street, testified that he had the accused made on the complaint, and positively identified Conley and Keenan as among those who took his muskets from him and beat him with clubs. Several other witnesses also testified to a similar state of facts.

Justice KELLY committed the accused to await the action of the Grand Jury. The prisoners were arrested by Officer Schoonmaker of the Sixteenth Precinct.

Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

A regular meeting of this Commission was held yesterday, President DRAPER in the chair.

The following is the regular weekly statement:

Remaining Aug. 1, 1863	6,295
Admitted	1,698
Total	8,003
Died	60
Discharged	1,261
Sent to Blackwell's Island	303
Sent to State Prison	1,924
Remaining Aug. 8, 1863	8,179
Increase	64
Relieved Not Present	672
Lunatic Asylum	4
Almshouse	1,311
Penitentiary	258
Workhouse	820
Small-Pox Hospital	4
Randall's Island	722
Ward's Island Hospital	160
City Prison	264
Second District Prison	85
Third District Prison	16
Fourth District Prison	1
Island Hospital	116
Colored Home	232
Colored Orphans, located on Blackwell's Island	217
Children at Nurse	21
City Cemetery	66
	6,490

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

DEATHS FROM SUN-STROKE.—The Coroners yesterday held inquests upon the bodies of the following named persons, who died from the effects of the heat:

JOHN THOMPSON, 25 years of age, a native of Ireland, was picked up in the street by the Sixteenth Precinct Police, and conveyed to the Station-house, where he died soon after.

FRANK DEVANEUX, aged 65 years, residing at No. 197 East Thirty-third-street.

BRIAN CONNOR, aged 28 years, a native of Ireland, residing at No. 500 East Thirty-second-street.

JOHN H. LANE, aged 45 years, a native of the United States, residing at No. 66 Vandam-street.

JAMES HENNESSEY, a native of Ireland, aged 60 years, died at the New-York Hospital.

JOHN BLIZZOT, aged 62 years, a native of Ireland, died at No. 366 East Tenth-street.

JOSEPH BYRN, aged 60 years, a native of Ireland, residence No. 160 Elizabeth-street.

DENNIS DUYAN, a native of Ireland, aged 48 years, residing at No. 676 Ninth-street.

JAMES RYAN, aged 50 years, a native of Ireland, died yesterday afternoon at the New-York Hospital.

DENNIS S. KELLY, aged 60 years, a native of Ireland, died at Bellevue Hospital.

ANN BAGGS, a native of Ireland, aged 22 years, died at No. 239 West Thirty-sixth-street.

FRUIT-GROWERS.—The Fruit Growers' meetings at the *Agricultural* office, No. 41 Park-row, which were suspended for a few weeks, are now resumed, and will be held every Thursday, at 4 o'clock P. M. The discussions yesterday were on the fruits of the season, embracing blackberries—samples of which, rivaling the famous New-Rochelle or Lawton, were on exhibition—peaches, early apples and pears. The general prospect of the fruit crop was canvassed, and the conclusions arrived at were that apples would be comparatively light, pears less than an average crop, while peaches promised fair. Arrangements were made for a grape exhibition, to come off early in October, for which liberal prizes are to be awarded.

A SUBSTITUTE FOR ICE-WATER.—In these days when ice lozenges and effervescing not to be had, a very excellent drink can be made, of one-sixth to one-fourth of good cider vinegar, about three-fourths water of ordinary Summer temperature, and two table spoonfuls of fine white sugar to an ordinary tumbler full; good brown sugar will do in the absence of white. To many persons this is not only a healthful but a very agreeable drink. For our soldiers it would be an excellent substitute for lemonade, however well prepared. This drink has been used with great benefit by dyspeptics, who cling to it as a healthful and invigorating drink. The proportions of all ingredients can be regulated according to taste.

TO THE BENEVOLENT LADIES OF NEW-YORK.—There is a deplorable case of a destitute widow of a soldier from this City, killed in the Battle of Gettysburgh, Pa., which pressingly calls for the immediate extend sympathy and pecuniary aid of the benevolent ladies of this City. This poor sick woman, now on the last stage of consumption, alone in the article of death, with five helpless children, most of them girls, dependent upon the pittance of three dollars per week for their sustenance and her medicines. Inquiry may be found and cared for, on inquiry for Mrs. WILSON, at No. 324 Cherry-st.

GREAT INCREASE OF BUSINESS AT THE TOMBS.—Justice CONNOLLY, Wednesday, examined and disposed of over four hundred cases at the Tombs Police Court. A great proportion of these were petty complaints, such as drunkenness, disorderly conduct, assault, etc., all the amount of labor required

REMOVED A PEST.—Mr. Wm. G. Rogers, superintendent of the Bureau of Incumbrances, yesterday, at the request of Mr. Bergh, of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, ordered the removal of the dead horse, which for several days had been a nuisance to the people residing in Front street, between Fulton and Water streets. Mr. Bergh, in the course of a conversation, said he had a number of complaints of a newspaper to be started in this city. A building in Frankfort-st is now being remodeled, and when it is completed there will be a press under the sidewalk being necessary for the steam operator to work the presses, he understands, was about obtaining a permit from the proper officer. Authority was also given to remove the dead horse in front of the building. This nuisance was a convenience to the residents of the vicinity, and objection is made to its removal. The Aldermen made the complaint therefore on behalf of some of his constituents. Two complaints and defendant gave their evidence, and the Justice reserved his decision.

BURNING ON THE HEAD.—JAMES BROOM, a workman employed in Meacham's coal-yard, corner of Main and Plymouth streets, fell down exhausted from the heat on Wednesday. He was conveyed to the City Hospital, where he died yesterday.....BRIAN SULLIVAN, residing at No. 342 Plymouth-street, fell down from the effect of the heat, and died.....MARGARET GALLAGHAN, an elderly lady, residing at No. 4 De Bevoise-street, died yesterday, from the effect of the hot weather.....JAMES GALLAGHAN, a boy, was found at the corner of Hicks and Amity streets, suffering from sun-stroke. He was taken to the City Hospital. He was recovering yesterday.

NEW-JERSEY.

MOVEMENT FOR AN ARSENAL.—At the meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Hudson County, yesterday afternoon, one of the members, Mr. JOHN MCGOVERN, offered a resolution, which was adopted, for the appointment of a Committee to ascertain and report to the Board the probable cost for the erection of an arsenal for the use of the country. Messrs. MCGOVERN, DEMPSEY, DUNN and COL. SIMAN were appointed such Committee. They were instructed to confer with officers of the Government with a view of procuring, if possible, the old United States Arsenal and grounds located at Hudson City.

SUSPICION OF FOUL PLAY.—Yesterday forenoon the body of an unknown man was found in the Hackensack River, near the plank road bridge. Deceased was about 40 years of age, and was dressed in blue flannel shirt and drab pants; on the left arm were the initials "E. L." Bruises or marks of violence were found upon the head and arms. Late on Sunday night the neighbors heard a disturbance near the bridge, and it is thought that deceased may have been waylaid.

FOUND DROWNED.—The body of an unknown man, about 30 years of age, in a perfectly naked state, was found in the water near the Long Dock yesterday. It was taken in charge by Coroner FARLEY, of Jersey City.

DEATHS FROM THE EFFECTS OF THE HEAT.—During the present month there has been 22 deaths from the effects of heat in Jersey City and vicinity.

LAW REPORTS.

Substitution of Attorney.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Before Justice Pratt.

John Joy, Receiver, vs. W. H. Degroot, et al.—This was a motion made by the defendant to vacate a judgment entered by the plaintiff against the defendants for the deficiency under a decree of foreclosure. The grounds of the motion were, that there had been a verbal agreement by the plaintiff not to enter the judgment, and that in pursuance of such agreement the defendant had paid a claim in suit against the plaintiff, and thereby satisfied the deficiency for which the judgment was entered.

The plaintiff objected to the motion, because it was not made by the attorney of record for the defendant, claiming that no one but such attorney was entitled to notice a motion in the cause, and cited the case of Jerome vs. Bowen, (1 Wendell's Reports, 205.) The defendant claimed that the relation and duty of the attorney of record ceased on the entry of judgment, and that then any other attorney could move in the cause, citing Lusk vs. Hastings, (1 Hill, 556.) The Court denied the motion with costs.

Levi S. Chatfield for the motion; Charles E. Whitehead for the Receiver.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

[OFFICIAL.]

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION....THURSDAY, Aug. 13, 1863.

Present—Alderman Fox, Henry, McCool, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Jeremiah, Hardy, Masterson, Ottiwell, Farley, Long.

The President being absent at roll call, on motion of Alderman Farley, Alderman Henry was called to the Chair.

The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Farley—

Petition of Church of the Redeemer, for lease of lot in the Nineteenth Ward.

Which was referred to Committee on Finance.

By Alderman Long—

Petition of St. Paul's Church, for a deaf-mute to pay [illegible]

Which was referred to Committee on Accounts.

By Alderman [illegible]—

Bill of E. Van Brunt, for coaches furnished for funeral of Brigadier-General Zook, amounting to one hundred and ninety-eight dollars and twenty cents.

Bill of E. Van Brunt, for coaches furnished for funeral of Colonel Masten, amounting to two hundred and twelve dollars.

Bill of E. Van Brunt, for coaches furnished for funeral of the Thirty-second Regiment New-York State Volunteers, amounting to forty-one dollars.

Bill of E. Van Brunt, for coaches furnished for funeral of the Twenty-fifth regiment New-York Volunteers, amounting to one hundred and sixty-nine dollars.

Which were severally laid over.

By Alderman Hardy—

Petition of Bartlett Smith and others to have vacant lots in West Forty-third-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, fenced.

Which was referred to Committee on Public Health.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman McCool—

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and directed to flag the sidewalks of number sixty-one Vandam-street, the same to be done forthwith.

Which was referred to Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Chipp—

Resolved, That Thirteenth-street, between the Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be repaired with cobble-stone pavement, under the direction of the Croton Department.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Ottiwell—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Colonel Frank, of the Thirty-eighth regiment New-York Volunteers, now recruiting for the war, to erect a tent in the City Hall Park, the same to remain there during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was adopted.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby directed to place an iron railing or guard in such places as may be necessary around Tompkins Market for the prevention of nuisances.

Which was referred to Committee on Lands and Places.

By Alderman Mitchell—

Resolved, That the Croton Aqueduct Board be, and they are hereby directed with the consent of the contractors, for sewer in Seventy-first-street, between Third-avenue and Fourth-avenue, to terminate said sewer at a point four hundred feet west of Third-avenue.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Mitchell—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of John Connolly, for the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars, being for services rendered in the month of August, 1862, in assisting the Superintendent of Public Buildings; and,

Whereas, The said Connolly and several others received the said superintendent, and acted on the said public duties for months and the said John Quinn has not received any part of the amount due him for such services;

Resolved, That the agreement of the said Superintendent, Samuel Foster, be and the same is hereby rescinded, and that the Comptroller be directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said John Quinn for the sum of eighty dollars and fifty cents, and for interest on the same from the 8th day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

Which was referred to Committee on Finance.

MESSAGE FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

A message was received from his Honor the Mayor, relative to the visit of Rear Admiral Farragut to this City.

Which was received and directed to be entered at length on the minutes.

In connection therewith,

Alderman Farley presented the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, Rear-Admiral David Glasgow Farragut, the heroic chief of the Western Gulf Blockading Squadron, is now temporarily resting in this City; and,

Whereas, the illustrious naval commander, whose skill and heroic bravery have contributed the severest and most telling blows from the period of his entrance into the navy of the United States, when a mere boy of nine years of age, until the present time when he stands most among the foremost of the naval heroes of the world; and

Whereas, Commodore David D. Porter, and the renowned Army Commander Daniel E. Sickles, are now in this City, and have accepted invitations to be present at a public reception to be tendered to Admiral Farragut; and

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of New-York, desirous of expressing their sentiments of the patriotic worth, heroic valor and unstrained energy displayed by Admiral Farragut in every position he has occupied during his long, eventful life, in which he has had an opportunity of exhibiting to an admiring country, those great and manly qualities, so conspicuously displayed by him in the discharge of the duty of the Common Council to add their feeble tribute of admiration and respect for one in so prominent a degree deserving of such a mark of esteem, with a view of giving effect to our resolution of December last, tendering the freedom of the City to Admiral Farragut, and of presenting to him a copy of the Rev. David G. Fort's address, and in the hope of inspiring the people of America, the youth of the Great Republic, be it therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee of Arrangements of the City be and hereby are respectfully requested to invite Admiral Farragut, the Hero of the Mississippi, and the Committee of National Affairs of both branches of the Common Council are hereby authorized to make the necessary arrangements for carrying into effect the resolution of December last, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the preamble, preamble and resolution be suitably engrossed, duly authenticated and appropriately framed and presented to Admiral Farragut.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Henry, McCool, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Jeremiah, Hardy, Masterson, Ottiwell, Farley, Long—11.

COMMUNICATION.

A communication was received from the City Inspector appointing Alderman Masterson to be Assistant Ward-Warden of the Twentieth Ward, in place of Thomas Rodgers.

Which communication was received and the nomination was confirmed by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Fox, Henry, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Hardy, Masterson, Ottiwell, Farley, Long—11.

RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Reed—

AN ORDINANCE

To Provide Relief for Soldiers and Sailors in Chapter Five Hundred and Fourteen, of the Laws of the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-three, and for other Purposes.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. In the case of soldiers or seamen, or marines, or any other person, or persons, who have or shall have enlisted or volunteered, or shall hereafter enlist or volunteer, or be drafted into the military service of the United States, or be mustered into the service of the United States, or be drafted or enlisted, or volunteered, or may be ordered into the military service of the United States, to serve in the Army or Navy of the United States, or be mustered into the service of the United States, or be drafted or enlisted, or volunteered, or may be ordered into the military service of the United States, and have proved themselves faithful among the faithful, and have served in the cause of the Union and the Constitution, but fails to prove the hardiness of the constitution and the vigor of the frame, which enables them and so fit them for their subsistence; and

Whereas, It is for the capital interest, the duty, as it is the pride of the Common Council, the representatives of the great commercial centre of this Republic, to bear willing testimony of the patriotic worth, heroic valor and unstrained energy displayed by Admiral Farragut in every position he has occupied during his long, eventful life, in which he has had an opportunity of exhibiting to an admiring country, those great and manly qualities, so conspicuously displayed by him in the discharge of the duty of the Common Council to add their feeble tribute of admiration and respect for one in so prominent a degree deserving of such a mark of esteem, with a view of giving effect to our resolution of December last, tendering the freedom of the City to Admiral Farragut, and of presenting to him a copy of the Rev. David G. Fort's address, and in the hope of inspiring the people of America, the youth of the Great Republic, be it therefore,

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COMMUNICATION.

A communication was received from the City Inspector, transmitting his second Quarterly Report for the City, which was received and the usual number (five thousand five hundred) copies ordered to be printed in document form.

The President pro tem. here announced as the Special Committee on the subject of the running of freight cars of the Hudson River Railroad Company in Greenwich-street the following:

Alderman Fox. Alderman Hardy,

Alderman Henry. Alderman Long moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Which was carried.

The President pro tem. declared that the Board stand adjourned until Monday, seventeenth instant, at the o'clock P. M.

D. T. VALENTINE, Clerk.

[OFFICIAL.]

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN.

SPECIAL SESSION—TUESDAY, Aug. 13, 1863.

The Board met in their Chamber, number sixteen City Hall, pursuant to the following call:

To the Honorable the Common Council:

You are respectfully requested to convene the Board of Councilmen, on Thursday, the thirteenth instant, at twelve o'clock, to take into consideration such subjects as may come before the Board for its action.

NEW-YORK, August 12, 1863.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) THOMAS BRADY,
ALEX. BRANDON,
SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,
JAMES HAYES,
RICHARD O'BRIEN,
WILLIAM JOYCE,
JOHN BEALY,
JOHN G. HAVILAND,
JAMES MCGUIRE,
JOHN HOUGHTALIN,
JOHN F. GAW,
PATRICK H. KEENAN,
J. MCCONNELL.

Present—Councilmen Healy, Keenan, Webster, Brady, Haviland, Gaw, Murphy, O'Brien, Brandon, Joyce—19.

A quorum not answering to their names on call of the roll, the Clerk declared that the Board stood adjourned until the second Monday in September, at four o'clock P. M.

JAMES M. SWEENEY, Clerk.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

For General Markets See Sixth Page.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....Aug. 13, 1863.

$2,000 U.S.6s,'71.Cp	97	200 Harlem Railroad	127
$,000 Treas. 7.3-10 N.C.	[illegible]	200 do	[illegible]
20,000 do	100⅝	200 do	126
4,000 U. S. 5s, 1874	100⅝	200 do	126
10,000 do	New 99⅞	50 Harlem R. Pref	135
5,000 Mo. State 6s	100	100 do	135
8,000 do	90⅞	100 Reading R.	114
10,000 do	90⅞	100 do	113⅝
10,000 La. State 6s	64	100 do	113⅝
7,000 O. & Miss. RR.	82	100 do	113⅝
1,000 R. ext. 6s	75	100 do	113⅝
1,000 Erie RR. 2d m.	81	100 do	113⅝
5,000 Ala. & N. R. 2d M. Pr	68	200 Mich. Cen. R.	113⅝
1,000 L.C. & P.R.R.	46⅝	100 do	113⅝
1,000 C. & P. R.R. 1st M.	85	100 do	113⅝
4,000 C. & P. R.R. 2d M.	75	100 C. & N. W. R.	89
1,000 do	75	100 do	89
1,000 H. & S. Jos. R. 1st M.	107	100 do	89
2,000 Chic. & P. 6th M.	87	100 do	89
40 Bank of America	133	100 do	89
40 Bank of Commerce	100⅝	100 M. Sho. & N. Ind.	55
100 do	100⅝	100 do	55
10 Continental Bank	96	100 do	55
25,000 American Gold	128⅞	100 do	55
2,000 do	128⅞	100 do	55
200 Canton Co.	50⅞	200 do	55
600 do	50⅞	200 do	55
100 Cumb. Coal Pref.	38⅞	200 do	55
100 Quicksilv. M. Co.	4	200 do	55
100 Cons. Am. Tel. Co.	30	200 do	55
100 Pacific Co. L.J. Co.	1⅞	100 Clev. & Pitts.	90
100 Brooklyn G. L. Co.	52	200 do	90
25 M. Y. Cen. R.	122⅞	50 Ill. Cen. R. Sc.	112⅞
100 do	s10 122⅞	200 do	112⅞
100 do	s30 122⅞	200 do	112
100 do	122⅞	100 do	112⅞
100 do	122⅞	100 do	s30 112⅞
200 do	122⅞	12 do	112⅞
100 do	s30 122⅞	100 Clev. & Pitts.	90
100 do	122⅞	200 do	90⅞
200 do	122⅞	400 do	90⅞
20 do	122	300 do	s10 90⅞
200 Erie R.	43⅞	100 Gal. & Chi. R.	101⅞
200 do	s10 43⅞	200 do	101⅞
200 do	43⅞	10 do	100
200 do	43⅞	400 Chi. & R.I.R.	104
200 do	s10 43⅞	50 do	103⅞
600 do	43⅞	100 do	103⅞
100 do	s10 43⅞	200 Chi. R. & Q. R.	117⅞
100 do	43⅞	100 do	117
100 do	s10 43⅞	200 Mil. & P. D. G. R.	67
100 do	43⅞	200 do	66⅞
100 Erie R. Pref.	67	200 do	s30 66
200 do	67⅞	100 do	66
100 do	68	100 do	66
100 Hudson R.	146	50 N. J. C. R.	100
100 do	146	50 A. & T. H. R.	73
100 do	72	200 Chic. & Alt. R.	73
100 do	72⅞	11 Home & Watertown R.	90

SECOND BOARD.

$1,000 U.S.6s,'81.Cp	100⅞	600 Reading R.	113⅞
4,000 do	100⅞	100 do	s10 113⅞
6,000 do	Clean 100⅞	200 do	s30 113⅞
10,000 Tenn. State 6s	60	100 Mich. Cen. R.	s30 112
20,000 Am. Gold	128	200 do	112
20,000 do	128⅞	100 do	112
100 Cumb. Coal Pref.	38⅞	400 Pitts. Ft. W. & C.	73
400 N. Y. Cen. R.	122⅞	100 A. & T. R.R.	34⅞
100 do	122⅞	100 do	s30 34
100 do	122⅞	100 do	34
50 do	122⅞	100 do	34
100 do	122⅞	100 M. Sho. & N. I. R.	56⅞
100 do	122⅞	100 do	56
100 do	122⅞	100 do	56
100 do	122⅞	100 do	56
100 do	122⅞	100 do	56
100 do	122⅞	100 do	56
100 Erie R. Pref.	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 do	56
100 do	68	100 Clev. & Pitts. R.	91
100 do	68	100 do	91
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100 do	68	100 do

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 1863.

Announcements this Evening.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCES at 2 and 7½ o'clock P. M. Curiosities at all hours.

BUTLER'S GARDEN—THE DUKE'S MICE.

WALLACK'S—TRICK TO THE LIFE—THE GREEN.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

By the steamship *Arago*, which arrived at this port yesterday, we have news of the siege of Charleston to the afternoon of the 10th inst.—Monday last. Gen. GILLMORE then expected to be in readiness to open the grand attack on Sumter and Wagner on the 11th—yesterday—and had so notified Admiral DAHLGREN, who was entirely ready to cooperate with the land forces. The utmost confidence was felt in the result. Meantime shelling from both sides was going on daily, though with very trifling loss to us—the casualties at most not exceeding three or four per day. The health of our troops was improving rapidly, the location on Morris Island having been found much more healthy than that on Folly Island, on account of the absence of vegetation. A good sea breeze prevails during most of the day and night.

The movement for reorganization in North Carolina appears to be assuming definite shape, judging by an article in the Richmond Enquirer of Monday last. It expresses strong condemnation of the course the North Carolinians are pursuing in calling a mass Convention of the Unionists of the State for the purpose of sending a delegation to Washington.

There is no news from the Army of the Potomac this morning. Everything is reported quiet.

A very important movement is on foot in Mississippi, looking to the bringing of that State back into the Union. Some of the best and most influential citizens are said to be in the movement.

Our San Francisco dispatch this morning states that the reports of secession risings in Santa Clara and Saline Counties were untrue.

GENERAL NEWS.

The steamship *Ocean Queen*, which left Aspinwall on the 5th inst., arrived at this port yesterday afternoon, bringing $313,464 in treasure from California and the Isthmus. There is no South American news by this arrival. In Central American affairs there is not much change. Salvador is represented to be almost entirely in possession of the invading President of Guatemala, and BARRIOS is considered hopelessly beaten. Affairs in the United States of Colombia remain quiet, though the contest between the Clergy and the National Government is not yet ended.

In the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, before Recorder HOFFMAN, PATRICK SHARKEY and JOHN HAGAN, convicted of knocking down and robbing Mr. SHARPES on the first evening of the riot, were sentenced to ten years each in the State Prison. JAMES H. WHITTEN, alias Whitter, convicted of leading the mob in front of the Tribune office, was sentenced to the highest penalty for "riot"—one year in the Penitentiary and a fine of $250. Several other lesser criminals were sentenced, and the Court adjourned for the term.

The Board of Aldermen met at 10 P. M. yesterday. A message from the Mayor calling attention to the fact of the presence of Rear-Admiral FARRAGUT in the City, and suggesting that municipal honors be paid him, was accepted. Mr. FARRAR then presented a preamble and resolutions, highly complimentary to the Admiral, and in favor of tendering him the hospitalities of the City, requesting him to hold a public reception in the Governor's Room, and to present him with an engraved copy of the preamble and resolutions. They were adopted. Mr. HARDY presented a new $2,500,000 ordinance for the relief of conscripts, differing from the former ordinance in the fact that the money is proposed to be raised under a general law of the last Legislature, permitting town authorities and Common Councils of cities to extend such relief to the indigent families of volunteers and persons "ordered" into the national service as they may deem proper, and that $300 are to be paid to each poor conscript, but to be accepted in lieu of all further aid for himself or family, leaving such at liberty to pay his commutation or use the $300 for the benefit of his family, and go to the war. Mr. HARDY explained that there had been passed a recent law of the Legislature against offering bounties, and it had been found quite impracticable to act on raise money under the former ordinance, in which was a section prohibiting payments till the constitutionality of the Conscript law should be sustained. This was inserted from a belief that an early test of the law would be made, and it could be made in two weeks; but the Administration did not wish to have the test made. The speediest plan would be to have each of the nine Justices of the United States Supreme Court decide a case on writ of *habeas corpus*. A majority of their decisions would settle the whole question. The ordinance was laid over. Mr. HARDY presented a resolution requesting the Advertising Committee to report upon the propriety of the Common Council making the *Herald* a Corporation paper. The object of this is understood to be to make the *Herald* a Corporation paper beyond all doubts. A motion to grant the HACKLEY contract requisitions withheld in February and May, amounting to $23,350, was lost, and the Clerk was directed to ask the opinion of the Corporation Council as to the power of the Common Council to order the granting of the requisitions. Messrs. FOX, HARDY and HENRY were appointed a special Committee to consider the subject of permitting the running of freight cars of the Hudson River Railroad Company through Greenwich-street to the Battery. Adjourned to 1 o'clock P. M. on Monday.

The Board of Councilmen met by special call at noon, but lacking three of a quorum could not transact any business. Another call is signed for a meeting at 3 o'clock P. M. to-day.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul attached to the Catholic Church of St. John the Evangelist, on Prince-street, held its annual picnic yesterday at Jones' Wood. The Pastor of the church, Rev. James MCMAHON, assisted by many noted clerical gentlemen of the Order of St. Vincent, were present, with numerous civilians of eminence in our City. About 5,000 persons in all enjoyed the festivities and contributed freely to the charitable fund for the poor of the parish.

In order to enable the workmen upon the ironclad Dictator, now building at Philadelphia, to continue operations during the hot weather, they have been relieved above the deck, to protect them from the rays of the sun. The vessel is now nearly ready to receive the iron plating, which is being worked into the required shape in the yard.

The ironclad *Galena* has had the iron stripped from her at the Philadelphia Navy-yard, and the Government has decided to convert the hulk into a gunboat.

There was a fearful hurricane at Cleveland on Monday last, in which chimneys were rattled down very unceremoniously, and the roofs of several buildings were stripped off. The American Hotel was damaged to the extent of between $1,000 and $2,000. No lives were lost.

Stocks opened heavily yesterday, but rallied during the day, and closed firmly. Money was in less demand, and drafts were quoted rather easier. Gold sold as high as 137¼, and left off at 136¾. Sterling Exchange, 148.

Breadstuffs were active yesterday, prices generally drooping. Provisions and Groceries were less freely purchased. Cotton was quiet and depressed. Whisky was salable and steady. No remarkable changes occurred in other articles. Heavier freight engagements were reported.

The Conscription and the Constitution—Armies Here and Abroad.

The objection has been taken to the Conscription act that it transcends the constitutional powers of Congress.

The Constitution (Article I., section 8) authorizes Congress to declare war, and to "raise and maintain armies." The same article authorizes it to provide for calling out the militia, but only in the following specified cases, viz.: "to execute the laws of the Union, suppress insurrections and repel invasions." Among the enumerated powers of the President, he is "Commander and Chief of the army and navy," and "of the militia of the several States when called into the actual service of the United States." (Article II., section 2.)

It thus appears that the power to create armies, as well as to use the militia organizations of the States, is expressly conferred upon the National Government.

The *manner* of raising armies is not prescribed, but left absolutely to the discretion of Congress. It is the exclusive judge of the *best* way to exercise the power, and may resort to one or many methods as it shall judge expedient. The more common method is to procure voluntary military service by paying bounties. But no intelligent man will say that this is the only method. The finances at the instant command of the Government may be inadequate, yet the military exigency pressing. The service for which troops are to be "raised" may be one of unusual discomfort or danger, or they may be required at a most inconvenient time, or to defend an unpopular section threatened with invasion. If troops must be had, and had instantly, or disaster and disgrace fall upon the nation, must the Government wait for slow or doubtful methods, or *order* out troops?

A most pernicious error underlies this objection to this particular power, and to many indispensable powers of the General Government—indeed, indispensable powers of the State Governments also, that the citizen need do nothing against his individual will. He is to serve only of his free *consent* and choice. Now, that is a radically false view of the relation between Government and its citizens. It is true that the theory of popular Governments is, that they are founded in the *consent* of the people. That means no more than that the people have consented to adopt a certain form of Government, and to invest the departments and officers of that Government with certain powers, and to elect certain persons as their representatives to administer the Government. All acts done by officers of the Government within the powers so conferred by the people, are deemed to be done with the consent of the people. Not that every individual approves of the act, but that the act of the majority by the modes prescribed by the Constitution, stands as the act of all, and binds all. Of course, if the consent of each man were necessary to bind him, Government would be impossible, and universal anarchy would take the place of society governed by fixed laws.

From the loose notions that have prevailed about the necessity of *consent*, has sprung the idea that no man can be compelled to enter into the civil or military *service* of the Government. Ordinarily, indeed, the people press in crowds into public employments, lured into competition for place by the attractions of fame, or salaried ease, or chance of plunder; but it never seems to have occurred to such people that they could be compelled to serve in a public office rendered unattractive by its onerous duties, or dangers, or inadequate compensation. But it is one of the clearest rights of Government to have all the services of the State, civil and military, performed by those who are *selected* for those services in accordance with existing laws. Not only is this the correct theory of Government, but it has been the uniform practice of all Governments, the most free as well as the most arbitrary, our own among the rest. Refusal to serve after election or appointment to office is visited, under various statutes, with heavy pecuniary fines, and even with imprisonment. Compulsory service as Road Commissioners, and compulsory service on the highways by the inhabitants of road districts, are familiar instances. Our entire State militia system is one of compulsory service. Prussia is a great Military Power because every male subject is required to pass a specified period of his life in the military service, or in training for it. The security and freedom of the Swiss Republic may be traced directly to the same cause.

The London *Times* has labored with its allies, North and South, to render the conscription unpopular, and declares that it has no precedent in the military history of England. But the system of *compulsory public service*, in England, is as old as the Government; and that contains the whole principle of the conscription. The English practice has worked some very singular results. In more bigoted times dissenters from the Church of England were disqualified from holding any political office under the Crown. If a person elected or appointed to office should serve in the office without having taken the Sacraments, as prescribed by the Church, within the year, he was subject to heavy pecuniary fine; and if he refused to serve in the office to which he had been elected, he was also subject to heavy pecuniary fine. His disqualification by reason of his not having taken the Sacraments was deemed to be voluntary, and held to be no excuse, although he pleaded conscientious scruples against taking the Sacraments in the prescribed mode. It finally became a prevalent mode of gratifying the bigotry of churchmen and the greed of gain, to select dissenters for offices which they would be punished for attempting to execute, and punishing them by fine for refusing to execute the office for which they were disqualified by law. This abominable practice was finally stopped by the Toleration acts* and a decision of the House of Lords, based on a very celebrated opinion of Lord MANSFIELD, in the case of EVANS, a dissenter, who had been elected Sheriff of London, and fined for not serving in the office, when he would have been subject to a heavy fine for attempting to fill it. Nobody pretended that Government could not exact compulsory service, but the Lords decided that it was not competent to punish a man for not serving in an office, and to punish him if he did serve; and that his legal disqualification for the office exempted him (under the Toleration acts) from punishment for not serving.

But the London *Times*, if it were not acting the *rôle* of a Southern partisan and a jibber of American institutions, might have found other historic illustration close at hand. The military strength of England lies in its navy and not its army. The army is the smallest of the standing armies of European first-class Powers, but its fleets are the greatest. There never has been any serious difficulty in procuring troops by bounties, although attempts have been made to procure enlistments in foreign countries. Not so the naval service. England has repeatedly been reduced to great straits to man her fleets with seamen. She was contented to use bounties while that method would give her seamen fast enough and in sufficient numbers; but when this method proved inadequate, did the Government affect constitutional scruples? Did it succumb, and leave its merchantmen to be swept from the ocean by the men-of-war and privateers of her enemies? No, not for a moment. The Government *conscripted* seamen. Nay, it did more, and worse. It took not such as the lot of service might fall to, by the chances of a fair ballot; it sent its press-gangs into all the ports, it scoured the highways and by-ways of England, and impressed into the naval service whomsoever the press-gang (paid a fee for each man) deemed fit for it. Many thousands of Englishmen were thus hurried by press-gangs on board of men-of-war, without notification to their families, subjected to the hardships of the service for many years, their whereabouts unknown to their kindred until their return, or until learned by a chance reading of the lists of those killed or wounded in the service or sick in the naval hospitals. England not only exercised the power of compulsory military service, but she carried it with a high hand against other nations. Holding the doctrine that the duties of citizenship could not be thrown off by emigrating to and becoming citizens of other nations, her cruisers stopped merchantmen of all nations on the high seas, and impressed and carried away into the naval service all seamen the officer deemed of British birth. These outrages were among the prominent causes of our last war with England; and Mr. WEBSTER, in one of his latest dispatches while Secretary of State, gave the Ministry of that day distinctly and finally to understand that this Government would never more permit the practice of impressment from ships covered by our flag.

Now, what is the point of the objection to the Conscription act? That not provides for a selection from the arms-bearing citizens of the States, by ballot, of a certain number of persons to serve in the Army of the United States. The mode of selection is equal and impartial. The sole constitutional objection to it is, that it obliges some to serve who are unwilling to serve. Is that a valid objection? No nation has ever conceded its validity; no Court has ever upheld it. It is a good objection against the power of the State Governments to call out the militia; good against every Government in the world; or not good against the National Government, that is expressly invested with the whole war power, and the power to raise and maintain armies. What a spectacle we would present to the eyes of the world, if this, the great Republic of the world, were admitted not to have the power to put a soldier in the field, for offence or defence, except it were his free will to go. It is a libel upon the national character, a libel upon the high spirit of our loyal people, to assert that they wish to denude the Government of this war power, so indispensable to its respectability and safety, and thus to leave it naked, exposed, defenceless to its enemies.

PRESIDENTIAL PROSPECTING.—On the 18th of the present month, it appears, there is to be a convocation of politicians at Rochester, N. Y., for the purpose of taking soundings in Presidential waters. Representatives of the "Union party" that has just carried the Kentucky State election are to be present, but whether any order of partisans from Missouri, Maryland or West Virginia, will appear and take part in the deliberations, is not yet developed. Ex-President MILLARD FILLMORE is spoken of as one of the movers in the scheme, but this is doubtful. That the meeting is regarded with very great interest in many quarters, is evident. The Seymour Democracy of this State is especially interested in the gathering, for it clearly expects to have its "platform," with the latest amendations and corrections, adopted by the parties that will be there assembled, which may become, in the end, the basis of an organization for the Presidency against the present Administration. If the "Regency" could thus take the front seat in the political omnibus that will start next year toward the White House, it would be regarded as a finishing blow to the upstart rebellion of the Mossrsers of this City, and to all other ambitious organizations that hope to gain the leading place in the Opposition campaign of the coming year.

If there was anything fresh, or anything novel, likely to be set afloat by the proposed Rochester caucus, we should watch its meeting with lively interest; but we foresee simply the lugging of "superfluous veterans" on the stage. We shall see VALLANDIGHAM and GREEN, of Ohio; BRANNAGAN and ADAMS, of Illinois; HUNTINGTON, of Indiana; divers Copperheads from New-York, New-Jersey and Pennsylvania, whose names are stereotyped; and sundry "conservative chaps" from Kentucky, and perhaps other Border States. There will be too much Vallandighamism and too much "War Democracy"—which are elements antagonistic—to make the meeting harmonious and successful; and the "conservatives" must look farther for the "insoluble cement" that is to bind the Opposition together strongly enough to stand a campaign.

Inquiry Called For.

We understand that on the first morning of the July riot one or two of the gangs of workmen employed on the Central Park left their work, and marched down the Park, forcing or inducing the other gangs to leave their work also and follow them, and that the whole body then proceeded to take part in the business of murder and rapine then going on in the City, and continued engaged in it during two entire days, furnishing by far the best organized, and, therefore, most dangerous and destructive of the bands which contributed the *memorabilia* of that pleasant week to the vandals of New-York. We understood also that, although by the rules of the Park absence for two entire days from work without permission or lawful excuse entails dismissal, that these ruffians came back red-handed from their crimes, and resumed their labor on the third day, without remark or apology, and in all respects as if nothing had happened, and were suffered to do so. We understand, moreover, that to this hour no inquiry has been made, no reproof administered, and nobody selected for punishment; and that the men who are at this moment working on the Park and drawing the money of the people of this City in wages, are men who notoriously, and in open daylight, and without any attempt at concealment, spent nearly half a week, a month ago, in pillaging and burning our houses and in polluting our streets by assassination. We understand, moreover, that so far from any attempt having been made by the Park authorities to bring them to punishment, their chief care is, at this moment, to hush the matter up, and have it pass unnoticed.

We can comprehend the haste with which Gov. SEYMOUR sought to soothe the mob with honied words, for this is the first impulse of every weak man in the presence of tumult and disorder. We can understand, too, the haste with which the Common Council sought to placate them by voting away honest people's money, to pay their exemption fees. But the Central Park has hitherto been managed in a way which has taken it entirely out of the category of political jobs, and earned for it the singular reputation of being the one public work in which the benefit of the public seemed to occupy the first place. In Mr. OLMSTED's day, it was an oasis in the sea of corruption and jobbery which flooded the City, and it presented, and, for aught we know, may have presented until very recently, the extraordinary spectacle of rigid discipline, rigid order, and accountability rigidly maintained by a public officer among hundreds of public employes, and under the very noses of the Corporation. We can hardly, however, believe it possible that that *régime*, which was so long our pride and boast, can have lasted till the 1st of July, for it is hardly conceivable that stringent rules, honestly enforced, would have been suspended for the first time for the purpose of giving two days' holiday to the laborers, to be spent in such innocent pleasures as plunder and arson.

We do not say it would be wise or, perhaps, possible to dismiss every man on the Park who was absent from work during the riots. A large number, no doubt, as in all such cases, joined the movement through intimidation, and wholesale punishment would in this, as in most other instances, work wholesale injustice. But there were, of course, ringleaders; there was, of course, a gang, or there were gangs, which began the rising, or made themselves conspicuous in diffusing it, and it is idle to tell us that they are not known. We, therefore, call upon the Commissioners to see that instant justice is done in the matter, and that examples are made of some of the ruffians whom they have in their employ. To pass this matter over without notice is a far greater scandal and disgrace than even the riots themselves. And it is also highly dangerous. If this be the kind of discipline they maintain amongst their workmen, we shall be driven to insist upon the transfer of the control of the works into other hands. Our troubles, if we are to judge from the language we hear, are not yet over, and every man who has a decent coat on his back has a right to insist that a horde of cateraus shall not be maintained at the public expense within the City limits, ready at the first sound of tumult to be launched upon us, in organized bodies, with torch and bludgeon.

COUTRABAND NEWS.—Gen. GILLMORE is engaged in one of the most delicate, hazardous and important operations of the war. If by any means the enemy can get knowledge of his designs, his plans, the nature of his present mode of attack, the forces he has on hand, or the reinforcements that may arrive, the points at which he is stationing guns and troops, or any of the other indicative facts of his campaign, they may be enabled to thwart the very movement upon which his success depends. Yet letters have been freely written by officers and soldiers in the Department, giving information on some of these points, and several of these letters have been published in the newspapers. BRAGGADOCIO would probably be willing to give a thousand or ten thousand dollars for a transcript of one of these letters, or a copy of the newspaper containing it; and when obtained it might be worth to him more than dollars represent—it might be worth victory.

Gen. GILLMORE has issued a stringent but just order upon the subject. He warns officers, soldiers and citizens not to communicate information concerning military operations to their friends or to the public, and gives in detail the items that shall be considered contraband. He further announces that violations of the order will be met with the severest punishment known to military law and usage in the field. Those writing or receiving letters from South Carolina will take warning.

The American Iliad.

The Mud-Gods created by Mr. THOMAS CARLYLE must be moved to "inextinguishable laughter," if they are capable of such an exercise, on learning that he too has become as one of them. The great and grim philosopher is now growing very old—verging on his seventieth year; but the years which make him more gray and grimly do not add to the brightness of his vision or the sweep of his genius. He is descending from the "empyrean immensities" in which erstwhile he loved to disport, into the "abysses" to which he has danced so many men and humbugs. Like the blind, though not "purblind" old man of Scio's rocky isle, he has written an "Iliad," and as it is neither long nor poetry, we present it in mass to our readers. It is the *Ilias (Americana) in Nuce*,—"The American Iliad in a Nutshell." The plot is simple; the characters few; the dialogue brief and brisk; the *dénouement* quickly reached, but dubious and smoky when found. It opens with a quarrel and ends with a scrimmage—in the midst of which the curtain falls, and the hapless author plunges into the mud. Like Gen. MCCLELLAN's prospective battles, it is "short and sharp," but unlike them, is not "decisive." It is brevity without wit. The style and spirit of the dialogue show that "T. C." is not at all acquainted with the character of the interlocutors or the cause of the woes unnumbered which have befallen America. Peter of the North never addressed Paul of the South in any such terms or fashion as is represented. Paul never responded to Peter's never-administered upbraidings with any such pacific phrase as is put into his mouth; and the rejoinder of Peter, which preceded his attempt upon Paul's brains, might better have been attributed to Paul as the address-precedent to *his* attempt upon Peter's brains. The author's note which follows the termination of the epic and the commencement of the row is fortunately succeeded by the date of May, 1863, for by August it certainly required considerable modification; and had the new Homer, who is his own annotator, delayed the publication of his piece for a few months longer, he might have had occasion to completely reverse the character of his observation.

It would be a sorry spectacle surely to see a belligerent Peter beating out a peaceable Paul's brains because of a quarrel as to the term of hire of their respective servants; and it is pitiful, also, to behold the grand intellect of the Ecclefechan philosopher so obfuscated as to vent such nonsense concerning the character, nature and prospects of this stupendous war for the rights of man.

New Gold Mines in the West.

The fact that the entire range of Rocky Mountains, extending from the Mexican States northward to the Russian possessions, are gold-bearing, is so well attested now as to leave no doubter remaining. The only question is, on which side of the mountains, or within what mountain basins, are the deposits of precious metals the richest. California long bore the palm, and obscured all previous visions of fabulous wealth by the profusion of its placer yields. But, in the course of time, Nevada Territory revealed mines that put the most dazzling exhibits of California in the background.

Oregon and Washington Territories have enjoyed their share of attention, and if they have not equaled California and Nevada, have unquestionably revealed gold deposits that, before the California era, would have been deemed marvelous. Colorado, in course, came into the competition, and its mines are now yielding steadily $10,000,000 to $15,000,000 of gold annually. Its friends say it is yielding more than the placers of California did at the same period after their discovery.

But all these developments of mineral wealth, equal to the yield, *as now worked*, of $75,000,000 a year, have not exhausted the American gold territory, nor satisfied the inquisitive energy of the American people. A new impetus has been given to prospecting in New-Mexico, and its acting Governor, W. F. M. ARNY, a skilled frontiersman and enterprising explorer, has just reached Washington with specimens of minerals from New-Mexican mines, and with reports of their fabulous wealth that would have been deemed incredible in former years, but are now easily believed to be true, especially by the credulous. At the same time, adventurous pioneers who have been hunting along the eastern base of the Rocky Mountains, north of the South Pass, up toward the valley of the Saskatchewan, in British America, are beginning to return to the Western States, laden with native gold-dust and nuggets, picked up in the sands of the streams forming the headwaters of the Yellow Stone and the Saskatchewan. We recognize the name of one—Dr. HOYT, of Wisconsin, in this list, whose intelligence and veracity are beyond question, who brings reports in the highest degree flattering to the richness and abundance of these new northern "diggings." If the nation were at peace, and the people had time to think of the revelations that are daily making in the far-distant Rocky Mountains, it seems likely that a new excitement, quite as consuming as the first California mania, might sweep over the land, and bear off to the West a hundred thousand gold-seekers, this year.

It is a pity that our people are so hampered that they cannot turn to, appropriate and develop the amazing gold fields that lie at their very doors. No other nation has such number and variety of mines, and of such immense wealth. And no other people have such an aptitude at prospecting and realizing without expensive tools and machinery. With less peace to bless the land, the population of the United States could so direct its labor, white and black, its gold mining in fields already known to be remunerative, as to be able to pay off the National debt in coin, not every bondholder [illegible], and give him pocket money for a good year's rest after his labors. When peace comes we shall see an unparalleled rush to the mines.

CHARLESTON IN CHARGE.—We are assured by the advices of the Associated Press from Charleston, that all things were to be ready yesterday for a combined attack on Forts Wagner, Sumter and Cummings Point, and on that day Gen. GILLMORE would certainly put all his terrible agencies at work to reduce the rebel strongholds. We shall wait the result with the profoundest interest—but with scarcely a shadow of doubt of ultimate success. The operator under whose direction the siege is conducted knows precisely the elements of the problem in his hands. Given a brick wall of ascertained thickness, so many hundred yards from his guns—how long will it take him to batter it down? He can tell to an hour or two, to an almost absolute certainty. And so stands the case between Gen. GILLMORE and Fort Sumter, at latest accounts.

If Gen. GILLMORE had his position to get and his guns to plant within practicable range, there would be an uncertain quantity in his problem, and he might be wholly disappointed of results. But there is no such uncertainty. He occupies his position and cannot be dislodged, else the rebels would long since have driven his men into the sea. He has his guns in place, and in practicable range for work. The sum is made up, and any intelligent artillerist can cipher out the result. It means it can be worked out practically almost as soon as an expert mathematician could calculate it. We are promised the reduction of Fort Sumter within "six hours" after the ball opens. Of course Gen. GILLMORE is not to be held responsible for the authorship of any such published remarks or estimates.

But there is something very merciless to "chivalry" in these cold engineering and mathematical calculations. Does the "spirit" amount to nothing in such a fight? Is the "sacred soil" of South Carolina non-combatant in such a crisis? Are the "homes of heroes" possessed of no repellant power? Is the valiant City of Charleston, "the cradle of secession," covered with no invisible and invulnerable shield by the gods? Must it, too, fall before vulgar Yankee iron? It looks so. Science is a cold, matter-of-fact sort of thing, and wholly regardless of the *spiritualle* of South Carolina secession.

THE QUESTION OF THE DAY.

The War Must Give Results, Not Negotiations—What the War Implies, and What the People Require—Mr. Whiting's Letter.

THE TIMES, August, 1863.

"*Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof*" is Scripture, and it is wisdom. Many of the troubles of men and nations would never have come, if Providence had not been interrupted in the natural solution of events. It is true that for great national crimes, Providence provides no solution but the punishment which is the natural sequel of such crimes. American Slavery seems to be one of these; for Providence seems to have given the minds of men no clue to the final event. That Slavery must now perish is evident,—but how? Shall it be the act of the people,—the act of the States? the act of the National Government? an act of war? or of peace? Or afraid and unwilling to meet any of these issues, shall this generation leave, as the past has, God to work out this problem in after days, as he did in Egypt, Greece and Rome, by bringing destruction amidst the fires and desolation of irretrievable ruin? Certainly this was the case with Rome, and every child can read it. But let that pass. I do not propose to discuss it now, but to say a word why it should *not* be discussed just at this moment. I want to enter a plea in abatement. The letter writers, the rumors of the day, and the little bird who whispers secrets, say that the President and his Council are discussing how they shall restore the Union, the status of the rebel States, the terms of admission, mode of negotiation. Now, let me say that this is, at present, a most unnecessary piece of trouble, and in seeking knowledge under difficulties. I think the American people have got something to say on this subject, and that it is not the business of the President to determine anything without Congress. What did the President say in his Proclamation was the object of the war? Was it not expressly to recover the forts, arsenals, property and munitions of the United States? And to cause the laws of the United States to be obeyed in all parts of the United States? Unquestionably. Well, is that the case? Is there any probability that it will be the case before Congress meets? Can we not wait, then, and let the representatives of the people determine questions of policy? Let no one fear Congress. There is a great majority there for the Union; not only for the Union, but entirely against the Peace Democracy; and there is, too, an unequivocal Anti-Slavery majority. But this is not all. The conclusion of the war *concludes the very questions which are sought to be determined*. Why, therefore, should we seek to decide what the conquest of the rebels decides of course? How can there be any need of negotiations while the rebels have armies in the field? And, when their armies are conquered, and their fortifications taken, and they can no longer resist, what is there left to negotiate about? Those who are honest loyal men will then govern the South, however few they are in number. Those who have taken an active part in rebellion are disfranchised, and, as in Kentucky, will not be allowed either to vote or be represented. All the active conspirators—men who voted in Legislatures, Conventions or in Congress, for secession or war—have either exile thrust upon them, or be hung or imprisoned, as the Courts (civil or Court-martial shall say. Four-fifths of the entire nation will require this. Ah, yes, you say; but how about those negroes? Why, *pursue the facts*, and let them decide the case. What are the facts? Simply these: As a war measure, (and as a war measure, constitutional,) the President issued his Proclamation, emancipating slaves within certain limits. There are, or soon will be, a million of slaves emancipated under that proclamation. These slaves are free, and the return of peace

cannot relinquish them. The act of a State renouncing Slavery, and thus, *by its own act alone*, giving itself constitutional rights, which otherwise it did not have, is preposterous. No State can do this without violating the Constitution as directly as it does nature and reason. These emancipated slaves will, therefore, remain free. What next? We have already a negro army enrolled, and armed as soldiers. If the Government is active in this measure, we shall have 100,000 negro soldiers in October. These will make the main garrisons of the various forts and towns we must, in any aspect of the case, continue to hold. In addition to this, we are now told the rebel Government are about to arm negroes also. In either case, the practical result after the war will be the same. They cannot be reenslaved, and they will have and know how to use arms. In one word, they will be a power sufficient to compel emancipation throughout the Southwest. The only way for whites to remain will be to free the negroes.

Here let me say one word on Mr. WHITING'S letter. It is able, eloquent and ingenious. But—I deny the proposition on which his whole conclusion rests; I deny that the rebels are "belligerents," and I deny that the *jus gentium* applies to them at all. Lord JOHN RUSSELL declared the rebels "belligerents," and in that insulted the whole nation. The rebels are *rebels*, and nothing else; and it is absurd to talk about the laws of nations between the *subjects* of a Government and the Government itself. If that were the case, it would be in the power of any minority in any country, by simply getting up an insurrection, to clothe themselves with national powers, and demand the rights of nations.

In the *facts* of the war—the natural progress of events—we have the elements of universal emancipation, and no political chicanery can prevent it. The war cuts the Gordian knot. We must maintain the freedom of slaves emancipated under the proclamation, (for we can have no pretence to honor or justice if we do not;) we must keep negro soldiers to garrison the forts of the South where necessary; we must allow none but loyal men to represent the returned people, (and of such it is the right of each House of Congress to judge,) and Slavery will perish in the Southwest. The beautiful Valley of the Mississippi (rich in every gift of nature) will be populous with freemen, cultivated as a garden, and filled with the fruits of industry. Let the armies of the Republic *finish their work* before we suffer politicians to renew their quarrels and distract the country with their selfish schemes. *Sufficient for the day is the evil thereof.*

A VETERAN OBSERVER.

The American Iliad in a Nutshell.

The following is the entire article of Mr. THOMAS CARLYLE—"The American Iliad in a Nutshell"—as it appears in the August number of *Macmillan's* (London) *Magazine*:

ILIAS (AMERICANA) IN NUCE.

PARIS (*of the North*) *to* PARIS (*of the South*.) "Paul, you unaccountable scoundrel, I find you hire your servants for life, not by the month or year as I do! You are going straight to Hell, you ——!!"

PAUL. "Good words, Peter! The risk is my own; I am willing to take the risk. Hire your servants by the month or the day, and get straight to Heaven; leave me to my own method."

PETER. "No, I won't. I will beat your brains out first!" (*And is trying dreadfully ever since, but cannot get message it.*) T. C.

MAY, 1863.

FROM CALIFORNIA.

A False Report—Harbor Defences for San Francisco, &c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Thursday, Aug. 13.

As was anticipated yesterday, the reports of secession risings in Santa Clara and Saline Counties were untrue.

Gen. WRIGHT has just received orders and funds from Washington, to construct new harbor defenses for San Francisco. Batteries mounted by guns of large calibre are to be erected at Rincon Point, Rincon Hill, Buena Vista Island, and probably on Telegraph Hill.

Sailed, last night, *Helen Nicholson*, HOLLIDAY, for Shanghai.

Markets are very dull. Anthracite coal $22 per ton, butter 23c., candles 19c. No sales for domestic liquors. Pig iron $50 per ton, burlaps scarce and high, crushed sugar, 14½c, tar $8.

SAN FRANCISCO, Thursday, Aug. 13.

Sailed, steamer *Golden Age*, for Panama, with a million in treasure, 60 passengers, and 150 bales of cotton, from Shanghai.

Sailed, 12th, *Golden State*, DELANO, Callao; ship Orphans has been chartered to load with breadstuffs for England.

From Saratoga.

THE CHRISTIAN COMMISSION—SUPPLIES FOR THE WOUNDED AT CHARLESTON—THE SABBATH CONVENTION.

SARATOGA, Thursday, Aug. 13.

The Christian Commission for the Army and Navy are to hold a meeting here to-morrow, to raise funds for benevolent purposes.

GEORGE H. STUART, President of the Commission, received a dispatch to-day that the sick and wounded of Charleston were greatly in need of ice. At short notice, appeals were made at the dinner-tables of the several hotels, and $1,300 were raised before night. A telegram was sent to Boston ordering ice to be shipped forthwith.

The Sabbath Convention closed its session to-day. Resolutions were adopted in favor of securing the better observance of the Sabbath throughout the country. Addresses were made by NORMAN WHITE, of New-York, Rev. H. D. GARDE, WILLIAM E. DODGE and GEORGE H. STUART, of Philadelphia. The proceedings, including the papers read before the Convention and the addresses, will be published by the Sabbath Committee of New-York. They are of deep interest.

Sick and Wounded from Vicksburgh.

CINCINNATI, Thursday, Aug. 13.

The steamer *Tycoon* brings 250 sick and wounded from Vicksburgh, most of them belonging to the Ninth army corps. The following died during the passage: M. Tirrell, J. Brown, A. Morgan, Sixth New-Hampshire; M. Mason, W. Chase, W. Hemery, Ninth New-Hampshire; R. Lewis, Hiram Marcy, Fiftieth Pennsylvania; Israel Barber, Seventh Rhode Island; F. S. Rollins, Tenth New-Hampshire; H. S. Holling, Thirty-fifth Massachusetts.

Draft in Pennsylvania.

WILLIAMSPORT, Penn., Thursday, Aug. 13.

The draft for the Eighteenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania, comprising Center, Clinton, Lycoming and Potter Counties, commenced here this morning in the order given above. The draft for Center County is already completed. Everything is passing off finely. Not a soldier has been sent here to assist in carrying out this draft, and none are required.

The Government Loan.

PHILADELPHIA, Thursday, Aug. 13.

The sale of five-twenties by the various agencies to-day, amounted to $760,550. Deliveries of bonds are made to the 24th of July, but the Department promises large deliveries during the coming week.

The First Pennsylvania Colored Regiment.

PHILADELPHIA, Thursday, Aug. 13.

The first full regiment of colored men raised in Pennsylvania left to-day by the steamer for Morris Island, to reinforce Gen. GILLMORE'S army.

Correction.

CAIRO, Thursday, Aug. 13.

It was the Fourth, not the Tenth Massachusetts regiment that arrived from Port Hudson yesterday.

AFFAIRS AT VICKSBURGH.

The Task of Cleaning the City of Confederate Nastiness—Usefulness of the Contraband—Money Made by the Rag Business—Conduct of the Citizens—The Women Becoming Amiable—Future Action.

From Our Own Correspondent.

VICKSBURGH, Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1863.

Since my last, much of that superlative nastiness with which the rebels had feathered this Vicksburgh nest has disappeared, and in consequence the town begins to look as if at some remote period it had enjoyed relations of intimacy with civilization. Gangs of negroes have labored early and late in shoveling, sweeping and garnishing, until there is a very perceptible depreciation in the strength of the savage odors which assailed the nostrils of the new-comer, and rendered a residence hereabout as unenjoyable as one near a dozen soap factories. For this task—whose magnitude only has its equal in the stable-cleaning labors of Hercules—We are indebted to our negro allies and a few of that omnipresent old clo' class whom Gen. GRANT once rather pointedly referred to in a celebrated order. The negroes labored by order, the others by reason that they could make something by it.

When the news reached the North that Vicksburgh had fallen, a few thousand Hebrew patriots immediately made an exodus in this direction, with a view of opening a few hundred clothing stores at once. Greatly to their disgust GEN. GRANT refused to allow any trade whatever, and much to their pecuniary grief they found that they had brought their shoddy to the wrong market. Something, however, must be done, and so fifty or sixty opened shops for the repair of watches, an equal number opened establishments for taking pictures, another quantity went to work gathering up the immense amount of old rags left everywhere by the rebels, while the balance stood disconsolately for a time around corners cursing GRANT in every dialect originating at Babel, and then returned up the river. Those who went into the rag business had a good thing, for rags are high and the quantity left by Confederates in this place was enormous.

Several large warehouses were filled with the old coats, tents and other fixtures of the late army, which were baled, and now the sharp operators are on their way with their treasures to St. Louis. A surprise, however, awaits them at that place, for they had scarcely left before it was discovered that they had filled the interior of each bale of rags with cotton. Orders were at once sent to St. Louis to have the matter looked into, which will probably result in the confiscation of the entire cargo. Fancy their poignant misery!

Of military movements little can be said, for little or nothing is being done. Gen. HERRON has gone to Port Hudson. Gen. ORD and corps are about leaving with a view to the occupancy of Natchez; some four regiments are going up to Helena; the balance of the army remains here with the exception of five per cent. of officers and men, who have gone home on a twenty days' furlough. This last circumstance indicates that no operations of importance will be inaugurated for some weeks. GRANT is resting himself after his late set-to, and also putting himself in training for the next meeting in September.

The citizens here have as yet scarcely recovered from the bewildering effects of the tremendous scenes through which they have so lately passed. There is, however, a marked change even since my arrival. Men in jeans and butternut are showing themselves on the street with a demeanor in which they attempt to present all the haughtiness of the old chivalry, but which effort is essentially spoiled in the everywhere-presented fact that the chivalry has just been awfully thrashed by the Yankee. They resemble a game chicken coming out of a fight minus his tail-feathers, with both eyes closed up, wings hanging, and other evidences of punishment, and that still cannot resist a feeble attempt at a strut and a crow of defiance.

The chivalry here are gradually learning something—first, that we have in the North a *Government*; and secondly, that the people of the North, whom they regarded as mudsills because they manufactured and invented instead of playing poker, selling niggers and handling bowie-knives for a living, and whom they truly believed they could whip in the proportion of five to one, is a force that bids fair in a little while to sweep the whole Confederacy—"niggers," faro-banks, chivalry and all—into oblivion. It is excessively mortifying to acknowledge it, but the fact is indisputable. The Yankee is here—the lager bier, saur-kraut, Dutch, Irish and "Yank" elements, of which they have said and sneered so much, are all about them, witnessing their discomfiture to an extent that will not allow them for an instant to doubt its reality.

The ladies of Vicksburgh, with that elasticity so honorable and peculiar to the female sex, by which they so quickly recover from the damaging effects of grief, (the loss of lovers and husbands for instance,) are already resuming their smiles and equanimity, and making the streets roseate and the hearts of the Yankees sunny by their presence. For the first week or so they all refused to show themselves, but confined their efforts to turning their backs when a Fed. was passing, or making faces at our soldiers from behind the closed shutters. Next, the blinds began to open, and faces in pensive profile might be seen at the windows. Then a few of the tougher virgins ventured on short scouting excursions on the streets, with a view to "feel" of the Vandals. Not being robbed, murdered or ravished, as they probably expected, they daily grew in boldness and numbers, until to-day, when detachments from the reserves, in the shape of young and pretty women, have made their appearance around town in considerable force. Their dresses are somewhat old-fashioned—their head-gear is multifarious as to kind, and ancient as to date of construction, and they have, alas! no hoops, but in all those cardinal requisites, such as peachy cheeks, red, kiss-inviting lips, and bewildering flashing smiles, they lack in no single instance. These pleasant visitations are owing largely to the excellent police regulations by which the city is governed; there is no drunkenness, brawling, or rowdyism of any sort, and to-day the place is more quiet and free from annoyance than it was ever before since it became a city.

The glorious old days of Vicksburgh—those days when the bowie-knife and revolver were supreme—when duels were of daily occurrence—when gamblers shot down citizens, and citizens hung gamblers to lamp-posts—when assassinations took place daily, and excited no abhorrence, and were succeeded by no punishment—when every man carried his life in his belt—when every other house was a gambling hell, and every other *gentleman* you met a gambler—when the chivalry vapored, and strutted, and hurled wordy defiance at the Yankee—these palmy, glorious days have passed away forever. "Order reigns in Warsaw," and Vicksburgh, much against her will, has become, or is in a fair way to become, civilized. So mote it be.

Gen. GRANT is still here. Possibly afraid if he goes North that he will have to commence making speeches, or that somebody will run him for President, he has concluded to stay here.

The weather during the day is intensely hot—at night it is cooler, but the relief that one would naturally receive from this is counteracted by the clouds of musquitoes that settle upon the unfortunate with the shades of night. The health of the troops is not above the average, although the sickness thus far has been mainly confined to chills and fever. The mortality among the negro troops has been very great, owing, probably, to the change of habit produced by their introduction to their new mode of life.

Nearly all the negroes who were "lying around loose" when our troops took the place, and who were roosting like crows on the piazzas of their absent masters' residences, and who employed their valuable time in playing the pianos and lolling upon sofas in the parlors or sunning themselves in happy idleness, have been presented with a Federal uniform and a spade (that is the male portion) and been placed at work. Several hundred are laboring upon the streets, and about 2,500 more are engaged in securing corn leaves for fodder on the various plantations near Vicksburgh.

Gen. BANKS came up last week and held a consultation with Gen. GRANT, whose object was probably a concert of action relative to future movements. He returned the next day after his arrival. GALWAY.

How Gen. Grant Looks After the Interests of His Soldiers.

The Cleveland *Herald*, of the 10th inst., says in reference to this subject:

"Gen. GRANT has issued a special order forbidding steamboatmen to charge more than $5 to enlisted men and $7 to officers, as fare between Vicksburgh and Cairo. Immediately after Vicksburgh had fallen a large number of steamboats cleared from Northern ports for that place, and were in the habit of charging soldiers going home on furlough from $15 to $20 fare to Cairo. A friend related to us that the steamer *Hope* was compelled by Gen. GRANT to disgorge its ill-gotten gains the other day, under the following circumstances: This boat had about 1,000 enlisted soldiers, and nearly 250 officers, aboard, on their way home on short leave of absence, after the fatigues of their protracted but glorious campaign. The Captain of the *Hope* had charged these men and officers from $10 to $25 apiece as fare to Cairo. Just as the boat was about to push off from the wharf at Vicksburgh, an order came from Gen. GRANT requiring the Captain to pay back to his passengers all money received by him as fare in excess of $5 to enlisted men, and $7 to officers, or submit to imprisonment for disobedience, and have his boat confiscated.

The order astonished the Captain, but the presence of a guard rendered it useless to refuse, and so, amid the shouts of the soldiers over Gen. GRANT'S care of their interests, he complied with as good grace as possible and paid back the money. Our informant, himself a passenger on the *Hope*, was present when Gen. GRANT issued the order above referred to. The General, when informed of the impositions practiced upon furloughed men and officers by steamboatmen, was very indignant. 'I will teach them, if they need the lesson,' said the General, 'that the men who have periled their lives to open the Mississippi River for their benefit cannot be imposed upon with impunity.' No wonder that the soldiers of the Army of the Mississippi fairly worship their General."

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL WASHINGTON DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Thursday, Aug. 13.

THE ARMY.

Everything is very quiet to-day with the Army of the Potomac.

ADMIRAL FARRAGUT.

Rear-Admiral FARRAGUT'S visit to Washington has no reference to future operations, but is in accordance with the kind invitation of the Secretary of the Navy to do so at his convenience. The Secretary, at the same time, expresses to him the thanks of the Government for his valuable services to the country.

ALLOWED TO RESIGN.

Dr. PERLEY, Medical Inspector-General of the United States army, has been allowed to resign, in the face of the most serious charges that could have been preferred against an officer of the Government. Dr. Jos. K. BARNES has been appointed as his successor. While the change occasions general rejoicing among the medical profession in the army, great indignation is expressed that Dr. PERLEY'S many derelictions, not to say rascalities, were not brought before the public through the hands of a Military Commission. It will be remembered that one of the charges against Dr. PERLEY was that of signing soldiers' discharges in blank. There was ample testimony to establish that charge at least.

WEST TENNESSEE.

Advices from West Tennessee state that at the election on the 6th inst., in several counties, a large vote was polled for Mr. B. CAMPBELL, for Governor. Gen. CAMPBELL was until recently a Brigadier-General in the National service, but resigned on account of ill-health.

THE VOTES OF IOWA VOLUNTEERS.

It has been ordered that the Commissioners appointed by the Legislature of Iowa, to superintend the voting of the volunteers of that State, in the field, shall be furnished with proper facilities, and allowed access to them for the purpose indicated.

TRANSPORTATION.

The army regulations have been modified so as to allow Generals commanding armies or military departments to authorise officers of the Quartermaster's Department to furnish transportation in light wagons and convey Paymasters, their clerks and funds to points inaccessible by public conveyance en journeys for the payment of troops.

The maximum amount of transportation to be allowed in the field hereafter is as follows: Headquarters of an army corps, two wagons or eight pack animals; headquarters of a division of two brigades, one wagon or five pack animals; field and staff of a regiment, one wagon or four pack animals; every three company officers, one pack animal; every twelve company officers, one wagon or four pack animals; every two staff officers not attached to any headquarters, one pack animal; every ten staff officers not attached to any headquarters, one wagon or four pack animals; every sixteen non-commissioned officers and privates, one pack animal; every eighty non-commissioned officers and privates, one wagon or five pack animals. All personal baggage, mess chests, cooking utensils, desk papers, &c., will be included—reducing officers' baggage so as to bring it within the foregoing schedule. All excess of transportation with army corps, divisions, brigades, regiments, &c., over the above allowance, will be turned over to the Quartermaster's Department. Commanding officers of corps, divisions, &c., will immediately cause inspections to be made, and will be held responsible for the strict execution of this order. Commissary stores and forage will be transported by trains. Where these are not convenient of access, and where troops act in detachments, the Quartermaster's Department will assign wagons and pack animals for that purpose; but the baggage of officers or troops, or camp equipage, will not be permitted to be carried in wagons or on pack mules so assigned. Assignments of transportation for ammunition will be made in proportion to the amount ordered to be carried. Cavalry officers will be held responsible for permitting riders to carry extra baggage, thereby injuring horses. Nothing will be allowed to be carried in knapsacks except what is directed by the regulations and ordered. In ordinary marches, troops will carry two days' rations, but when required to move without baggage or trains, from eight to twelve days' rations may be required to be carried weighing 19 and 23½ pounds respectively. A Sergeant will be allowed one or two pack animals, and brigades or division one wagon, to carry camp kettles and ratables. The order concludes:

By increasing the ordinary meat ration, and levying contributions of flour and meal on the country passed over, the bread and small rations carried as above by soldiers, may be made to last from twenty to twenty-five days. In proper season the bread ration may be partially dispensed with, substituting green corn, which can be foraged in the fields. Movable columns in the field should be furnished with hand and horse mills for grinding grain, which they procure in the country. Commanding officers in the field will observe the foregoing details, and adopt them as instructions in fitting out their command for rapid movement, and without ordinary transportation.

MOUNTED INFANTRY.

The plan urged by Gen. ROSECRANS by letter, and Gen. ROUSSEAU in person, for the raising of a cavalry and mounted infantry force to operate against the guerrillas along the border and throughout the Southwest, gains favor daily in Government circles. Senators HARRIS and COWAN, and Gen. MORNEHEAD with others, waited on the President to-day, to urge its immediate adoption. The President acknowledged its paramount importance in view of the present situation of affairs Southwest, and only objected on the score of its departure from the regular routine of the War Department. Hopes are cherished that red tape will not be allowed much longer to delay it.

BANNER PRESENTATION.

The Contraband Relief Association presented a beautiful banner to the First District negro regiment to-night. After the presentation, Col. FOSTER, who happened to be present, was called out and responded briefly, saying he stood there to-night to take back much he had written and earnestly believed a few years ago. Port Hudson and Morris Island had convinced him of his mistake, and in the light of the brilliant courage there displayed, no man could doubt how large would be the share the enslaved race of this Continent were to have in achieving our deliverance as well as their own.

RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

The several Railroad Companies constituting the line between Washington and New-York, (now temporarily represented here by their agents,) are busily engaged in the redemption of their promises, made last Winter, for the construction of a double track along the entire line. The double track between Trenton and New-York will soon be completed, and a large force is at work between Trenton and Philadelphia. From the latter city, southward, the track is completed to Newark, and will be speedily finished between Baltimore and Washington. Work is progressing upon the bridge across the Susquehanna, and there is a prospect that a double track road, without any change of cars, will soon be provided between Washington and New-York. The companies have ordered thirty new first-class cars for the line.

THE POTOMAC.

The Potomac flotilla has seen no rebel demonstrations on the river for a month past.

A METAMORPHOSIS.

The British blockade runner *Neptune*, rechristened the *Clyde*, is being fitted out at the Washington Navy-yard as a gunboat.

Cricket.

NEW-YORK CLUB VS. MASSACHUSETTS ELEVEN.

This annual match was commenced yesterday morning at Hoboken; and, as we anticipated, the Bostonians, fatigued as they were with the two previous days' cricketing under the intense heat, were entirely overmatched by the fresh team of the strongest players in the country outside the St. George's Club, which were pitted against these amateurs by the New-Yorkers. O'Brien's and Martin's bowling was much less effective than in the St. George's match, although Haigh's wicket-keeping had much improved, and Martin's useless left hand compelled his retirement from the field at times, he having missed an easy chance of catching out Hammond when he had only scored five runs. Sadler also gave a catch, which was badly missed by another fielder. At sunset the score stood: New-York, 126 runs, of which Hammond scored 37, and Sadler 28; Boston stood 49 runs, of which Haigh scored 11.

The game will be resumed at 9½ o'clock this morning, and will no doubt terminate—under the above circumstances—in an easy victory for New-York.

Our reporter lost a pair of spectacles on the ground; any one having found such an article will oblige him by leaving them at the TIMES Office.

Death of Col. Francine.

CAMP SEVENTH REGIMENT NEW-JERSEY VOLS., NEAR BEVERLY FORD, VA., Aug. 6, 1863.

At the meeting of the officers of the Seventh regiment New-Jersey Volunteers, held at Camp, near Beverly Ford, Va., on the evening of Aug. 5, 1863, Maj. FREDERICK COOPER was called to the Chair, and the following resolutions adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in his all-wise providence, to remove from the service of the country our beloved Colonel, LOUIS R. FRANCINE; therefore,

Resolved, That we, his late associates and companions in arms, whilst we bow in submission to the will of the Most High, cannot but feel deeply the loss of one who had endeared himself to us by his many acts of kindness, and who, as a soldier, friend and gentleman, had won our highest esteem and regard.

Resolved, That, as a token of respect to the memory of our lamented Colonel, the officers of this regiment wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing be forwarded to the family of the deceased, assuring them of our condolence, and praying that the Lord will sustain them in this their hour of affliction.

Resolved, Also, that a copy be forwarded to the Philadelphia *Inquirer*, *State Gazette*, Trenton, N. J.; Newark *Mercury*, Newark, N. J.; NEW-YORK TIMES and Washington *Chronicle*, with the request that the same be published.

SAMUEL J. HOPKINS, Capt. Co. H,
DANIEL HART, Capt. Co. E,
DR. JULIUS ROSE, Chaplain,
Committee.
CHARLES H. FOSSELMAN, Lieut. and A. A., Secretary.

PERSONAL.—Capt. HENRY STONE, U. S. A., Assistant-Adjutant-General and Aid-de-Camp with Provost-Marshal FRY, is in the City, and is stopping at the Brevoort House. Capt. STONE has seen hard service in a Massachusetts regiment, and was detailed to Col. FRY'S Department as an evidence of the esteem and confidence felt for and in him by the "powers that be." His presence here at this time indicates activity in the movements of the Drafting Bureau, and the possible acceleration of the re-turning of the wheel of fate in this City.

HEALTH MATTERS.—At the last meeting of the Commissioners of the Board of Health, held at the Mayor's office, it was reported by the Health Officer that since the 2d inst. there had been no arrivals of infected vessels. In the Floating Hospital there were fifteen sick and fifteen convalescent. The Resident Physician reported the City in a cleanlier condition than for years it has been, and in commenting on the great increase of mortality during the past week, ascribed it to the intense heat, and also to the use of unripe fruit and stale vegetables; it do further ascribed it to the over-crowding of tenement and other houses.

Markets.

CHICAGO, Thursday, Aug. 13.

FLOUR dull. WHEAT active; declined 3c.@5c.; sales at 90c.@91c., closing at 90c. CORN steady at 48½c. OATS closed buoyant at 37c.@37½c. *Receipts*—2,000 bbls. Flour, 15,000 bushels Wheat, 78,000 bushels Corn. *Shipments*—3,100 bbls. Flour, 800 bushels Wheat, 66,000 bushels Corn.

Gold Pens—THE BEST AND THE CHEAPEST. AT A. MORTON'S, No. 25 MAIDEN-LANE, New-York

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SEWING-MACHINES,
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Sewing-machines to Rent,
And for Sale—New.
V. W. WICKES, Jr., No. 456 Broadway,
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The best in the world, the only reliable and perfect dye known. Instantaneous and harmless. The genuine signed WILLIAM A. BATCHELOR. Sold by all druggists and perfumers. Factory No. 81 Barclay-st.

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FOLEY'S Celebrated "Bank" and extra fine GOLD PENS AND PENCILS,
Store and Factory No. 189 Broadway.

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EFFECTUALLY DESTROYS
Croton Water Bugs, Roaches and Rats.
The rats leave their holes to die. Sold by all Druggists.

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FOR SALE,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
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A New Perfume for the Handkerchief
Extract of the Night Blooming Cereus.
A Most Exquisite,
Delicate and Fragrant Perfume,
Distilled from the Rare and Beautiful
Flower from which it takes its name.
Ladies are requested to call and Examine its Qualities.
A sample bottle open for inspection.
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Trusses, &c.—MARSH & CO.'S Radical Cure Truss Office, only at No. 2 Vesey-st. Also supporters, suspensory bandages, silk elastic stockings for varicose veins, shoulder braces, &c. A lady attendant.

MARRIED.

BRAINE—McCORD.—On Wednesday, Aug. 12, in Grace Church, Brooklyn Heights, by Rev. Jared B. Flagg, CHARLES S. BRAINE and FRIDIGA McCORD, all of Brooklyn.

PHELPS—PULLEN.—On Wednesday, Aug. 5, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. F. Newman, Mr. EDWARD R. PHELPS and Miss LILLIE E., only daughter of Samuel R. Pullen, Esq.

DIED.

BOUTON.—In Passaic, N. J., on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at 10¼ o'clock P. M., LILLIE M., daughter of John and Abigail S. Bouton, aged 9 months and 10 days.

Funeral services will be held at Sing Sing, N. Y., (where the remains will be interred,) on Friday, Aug. 14, at 3 o'clock P. M.

CASSIDY.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, Aug. 13, MARGARET, widow of the late John Cassidy, in the 84th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, on Friday, Aug. 14, at 3 o'clock P. M., from her late residence, No. 4 Debevoise-st., Brooklyn.

DUYSTERS.—On Thursday, Aug. 13, ALBERT AUGUSTUS, son of Ferdinand and Catherine Duysters, aged 1 year and 4 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited, without further notice, to attend the funeral, to-morrow morning, (Saturday, Aug. 15,) at 10½ o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 242 Lexington-av.

DICKINSON.—In Rockaway, L. I., on Wednesday, Aug. 12, HARRIET, daughter of Alfred and Annie Dickinson, aged 1 year, 8 months and 7 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Townsend, Newtown Creek, L. I., on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 4 o'clock.

ENNIS.—In Astoria, L. I., at his residence, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, THOMAS ANDIE ENNIS, aged 65 years.

His friends, and the friends of his family, are invited to attend the funeral, without further invitation, at St. George's Church, in Astoria, at 2½ o'clock, on Saturday next, Aug. 15. The steamboat *Sylvan Grove*, will leave for Astoria at 1½ o'clock P. M., from Fulton-slip.

FOX.—In Fort Schuyler, on Tuesday, Aug. 11, Lieut. CHARLES E. FOX, of the 48th regiment New-York State Volunteers, of wounds received during the storming of Fort Wagner, Morris Island.

His remains were interred at Huntington, L. I.

FELLOWS.—Suddenly, on Wednesday morning, Aug. 12, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Laura A. Fellows, FANNY GRAHAM, eldest surviving daughter of William M. Fellows, and granddaughter of Charles S. Mesee, aged 21 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at No. 12 East 23d-st., Madison-square, south, on Saturday morning, Aug. 15, at 11 o'clock, without further notice.

GREGORY.—On Thursday afternoon, Aug. 13, BENJAMIN GREGORY, in the 67th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 114 Cannon-st., at 2 o'clock, on Saturday, Aug. 15, without further invitation.

GRAHAM.—On Thursday, Aug. 13, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Leggett, No. 132 Henry-st., Brooklyn, ANN GRAHAM, widow of Duncan Graham, aged 86 years.

For notice of funeral, see this afternoon and to-morrow morning's papers.

HOLMES.—In this City, on Tuesday, Aug. 11, THOMAS HOLMES, Sr., aged 78 years.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 146 Clinton-st., on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M. The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of the late Oliver-st. Baptist Church, are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice.

☞ Boston papers please copy.

HOLLISTER.—In Hoboken, N. J., on Monday, Aug. 10, HENRY HOLLISTER, Sr., Esq., at the residence of his son-in-law, John And. Dempsey, M. D., No. 129 Hudson-st., aged 74 years, 4 months and 10 days.

Funeral services in Trinity Church, corner of Washington and 6th sts., Hoboken, on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

IRWIN.—WILLIAM ALFRED H., son of Hugh and Mary Irwin, aged 11 months and 4 days.

The funeral will take place from No. 228 10th-av., this day, (Friday, Aug. 14,) at 1 o'clock P. M. The friends are respectfully invited to attend.

JESSUP.—In Hudson, N. Y., on Saturday, Aug. 8, Mrs. RUTH HALSEY JESSUP, widow of Wm. Jessup, aged 84 years.

☞ Sag Harbor papers please copy.

MERRIAM.—In Homewood, Lewis County, N. Y., on Friday, Aug. 7, ELLEN GERTRUDE, only daughter of Clinton L. and Caroline H. Merriam, aged 8 years and 9 months.

PARGHAM.—In Poughkeepsie, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, of consumption, ELIZA M. STURGES, wife of William H. Pargham, aged 32 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 162 West 37th-st., on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 2 o'clock, without further notice.

PHILLIS.—In Newburgh, N. Y., on Wednesday morning, Aug. 12, MARY ELIZABETH, wife of Rev. B. T. Phillips, Chaplain, U. S. A., aged 30 years.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral, without further notice, from her late residence, in Newburgh, on Friday, Aug. 14, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ROWELL.—On Thursday, Aug. 13, WALTER, infant son of Warren and Jane Rowell, aged 6 months.

Funeral on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 2 o'clock P. M., from No. 23 Rutgers-st., this City.

ROBERTS.—In this City, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, LILLIE, only child of Rosalind S. and John L. Roberts, Jr., aged 2 years, 1 month and 25 days.

Funeral services will take place at the residence of her parents, No. 91 East 31st-st., on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 11 A. M. Friends of the family are requested to attend, without further notice.

☞ Boston (Mass.) papers please copy.

STAYNER.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 12, ANNETTE, wife of John C. Stayner.

Funeral will take place from No. 65 2d-place, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Friday, Aug. 14.

☞ Canada papers please copy.

SHULES.—On Wednesday, Aug. 12, HARRIET N., wife of Jacob H. Shules, daughter of William S. and Maria Brady, aged 27 years, 3 months and 15 days.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Friday) evening, Aug. 14, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of her parents, No. 656 Greenwich-st. Her remains will be taken to Oak Hill Cemetery for interment.

SHERWOOD.—In Harlem, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, WILLIAM H. H., second son of William H. H. and Martha Jane Sherwood, aged 2 years and 2 months.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the relatives and friends of his grandfather, Samuel J. Sherwood, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, 128th-st., between 3d and 4th avs., on Friday, Aug. 14, at 10 o'clock A. M. The remains will be taken to New-York Bay Cemetery, for interment.

TUTHILL.—On Thursday, Aug. 13, SAMUEL B. TUTHILL, aged 68 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully requested to attend his funeral, to-morrow, (Saturday, Aug. 15,) at 10 o'clock A. M., from his late residence, No. 135 Bridge-st., Brooklyn, without further invitation.

TUTT.—On Thursday, Aug. 13, ANNA THOMPSBRIDGE, daughter of Henry B. and Josephine A. Tutt, aged 2 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her father, Hamilton-st., near Gates-av., Brooklyn, on Friday, Aug. 14, at 5 o'clock P. M.

VAIL.—On Wednesday evening, Aug. 12, HARVEY W. VAIL, in the 60th year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday morning, at 11 o'clock, from St. Mark's Church, Islip, L. I., without further notice.

WHITE.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, WARREN A. WHITE, formerly of Warren, Ohio, aged 21 years.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his mother-in-law, No. 102 Joralemon-st., on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 3 o'clock P. M.

WHITLOCK.—On Wednesday, Aug. 12, after a brief illness, BENJAMIN M. WHITLOCK, in the 49th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at the Reformed Dutch Church, Matthaven, on Friday afternoon, Aug. 14, at 5 o'clock. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice. The 4:10 P. M. train of the New-York and Harlem Railroad, will stop at Matthaven Depot, where carriages will be in waiting.

WILSON.—In Greenville, S. I., on Tuesday, Aug. 11, of a lingering illness, RICHARD WILSON.

The funeral will take place from the above place on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M.

OFFICIAL DRAWINGS OF MURRAY, EDDY & CO.'S
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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE LIFE OF VICTOR HUGO.

Mr. CARLETON, publisher of the English translation of "Les Miserables," begs to announce that he will publish, on SATURD

Murder by Negro Soldiers.

A FAMILY AMERCIAN BY OLD BLOOD.

From the Chicago Post, Aug. 3.

A gentleman connected with this office, who arrived here from Memphis day before yesterday, gives information of one of the most horrible transactions that it has been our lot to record during this war. The best incident at a place called Compromise, in Tennessee, near the dividing line between that State and Kentucky, where the particulars of the awful affair were learned from the neighbors. On Tuesday last, the 4th inst., eighteen Negro soldiers, fully armed, having come from the camp on Island No. 10, went to the house of Mr. FRANK BECKMAN, on the river; immediately at Compromise Landing, and murdered him, aged 48 years; his old father, (Maj. BARL. BECKMAN, aged 80,) and four children of Mr. F. BECKMAN: LOUISA, aged 14; KATE, aged 10; CAROLINE, 7, and RICHARD, 3 years. They first caught Mr. F. BECKMAN and his aged father, tied them, marched them to the edge of the bank of the river, shot and stabbed them, and threw their bodies into the water. They then threw little Dent into the river, tied the two youngest girls together, and threw them in, then forced the oldest girl and boat her over the head with their muskets until she sank down. The bodies of old Maj. BECKMAN and the youngest child have been recovered. Many of the passengers went to the house and saw them. Fortunately two of the family of children were off at school, and the mother and one child, four years old, were at Owensboro, Kentucky. *All the rest were murdered.*

Twelve of the negroes were caught by our cavalry and are now confined at Island No. 10. Six are yet at large. The immediate motive for the deed was thought to be the fact that Mrs. BECKMAN took up the river with her a negro girl as nurse, whose mother had run off, and was at Island No. 10. The negroes had before endeavored to steal the girl away, but Mr. BECKMAN drove them off with arms.

Cairo, Friday, Aug. 7.

It appears from a statement made by the Cairo News, of this morning, whose information came from Capt. Fornoff, of the United States Navy, that the killing of Mr. BECKMAN and family, near Compromise Landing, should not be wholly placed upon the shoulders of the colored men. The facts seem to be that, while the soldiers also had a hand in the bloody deed, two white men, one named GRAYSON, were sitting by, and urged on and prompted the negroes to their murderous work. GRAYSON has been captured, with twelve negroes and one white man. Five or six colored men are yet to be taken. It is to be hoped that all may be properly punished.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Thursday, Aug. 13, 1863—6 P. M.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce, since our last, have been: 153 bbls. Ashes, 12,169 bbls. Flour, 340 bbls. and 483 bags Corn Meal, 110,949 bushels Wheat, 276,208 bushels Corn, 6,750 bushels Rye, 204,091 bushels Oats, 250 bushels Malt, 1,566 pkgs. Provisions, and 1,353 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Sales, 60 bbls., including Pots at $6 87½, and Pearls at $8 37½ @ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Sales, to-day, 50 bags Maracaibo, at 45c., and 165 bags Rio, at 27½c. @ 35½c. ℔ lb.

COTTON—Has declined to 67c. @ 68c. for Middlings ℔ lb. Sales and receipts, 500 bales. Also, by auction, a quantity of prize Cotton at 91c. for Sea Island, 20c. @ 50c. for strict Middlings, and 30c. @ 55½c. for damaged and stained ℔ lb.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been more active, but at easier prices. Sales, since our last, 15,600 bbls., including Superfine State and Western, at $4 @ $4 60; poor to choice extra State at $4 70 @ $5 35, chiefly at $4 85 @ $5 05; round hoop extra Ohio, shipping brands, at $5 20 @ $5 55 ℔ bbl.

Superfine State and Western	$4 00	@ $4 50
Extra State	4 70	@ 5 35
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	4 65	@ 7 00
Extra Ohio, round-hoop, ship'g brands	5 20	@ 5 55
Extra Ohio, trade brands	5 60	@ 7 00
Extra Genesee	5 40	@ 7 00
Extra to Choice Extra Missouri	5 70	@ 6 75

Southern Flour favors buyers. Sales since our last, 700 bbls., at $5 50 @ $6 50 for poor to good superfine; $6 55 @ $7 90 for fancy to choice brands, and $8 00 @ $9 50 for very superior family brands. ℔ bbl. Canadian Flour is declining. Sales 480 bbls. Extra at $5 40 @ $5 75 ℔ bbl. Rye Flour is in demand at $3 40 @ $5 25 for fine and superfine. ℔ bbl. Corn Meal continues quiet, at $3 90 for Jersey, and $4 50 @ $4 75 for Brandywine. ℔ bbl. Sales, 300 bbls.

GRAIN—Wheat has been more active, at full prices for really desirable lots, but reduced rates for inferior and common qualities. Sales since our last, 186,000 bushels, including Amber Western, at $1 23 @ $1 28; Red do. do. at $1 20 @ $1 22; Amber Iowa, at $1 20 @ $1 24; Milwaukee Club, at $1 20 @ $1 10; Chicago Spring, at 90c. @ $1 10 ℔ bushel. Corn is active, but unsettled. Sales have been reported to-day of 206,000 bushels, at 67½c. @ 68c. for sound Mixed Western; 65c. @ 66c. for unsound do.; 70c. @ 75c. for Yellow Western, and 71c. @ 72c. for White do., ℔ bushel. Rye continues in limited demand, at 82c. @ 90c., according to quality, ℔ bushel. Oats are in moderate request, including Canada, at 65c. @ 65½c.; Western, at 63c. @ 65c.; State, at 64c. @ 65c., ℔ bushel. Barley and Barley Malt continue inactive and nominal.

HAY—North River Bale hay is in good request to-day, at 95c. @ $1 15 ℔ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Have been in moderate demand, at 55c. @ 21c. ℔ lb.

LUMBER—Business has been moderate again, this week, partly owing to the extraordinary heat, but there have been no remarkable changes in prices of the principal kinds. The Albany *Evening Journal* says: "Lumber has come in more freely, and the assortment is now better than it has been for some time. The sales have been to a fair extent at full prices, with an advancing tendency. The shipments have been active for Eastern ports, but to New-York they have been light for the week, as buyers do not wish to pay the advance in freights charged by the boatmen."

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in moderate request, and sales have been made of 1,200 bbls., at $11 56 @ $11 62½ for Old Mess; $12 50 for New Mess; $10 62½ @ $10 87½ for Prime ℔ bbl. Cut Meats are inactive, at 4½c. @ 5½c. for Hams, and 4½c. @ 5c. for Shoulders, ℔ lb. Bacon is in request at 6c. @ 7½c. ℔ lb.; sales, 750 boxes. Lard continues in fair request to-day; sales 2,250 tcs. and bbls. at 6½c. @ 10½c. ℔ lb. Beef continues inactive; sales, 350 bbls. at $12 @ $15 for Extra Mess, and $16 @ $18 50 for Prime Mess. ℔ bbl. Butter continues quiet, at 13c. @ 17c. for poor to choice Western, and 16c. @ 21c. for common to choice State. ℔ lb. Cheese rules dull and heavy at 5c. @ 11½c. ℔ lb.

RICE—Sales, to-day, 150 bags East India, at $7 12½ @ $7 50 ℔ 100 lbs.

SUGARS—Sales to-day, 850 hhds., including Porto Rico at 12 @ 12½c., and Cuba at 9½c. @ 11½c. ℔ lb.

TALLOW—Sales to-day, 90,000 lbs. at 10c. @ 10½c. ℔ lb.

WHISKY—Sales to-day 550 bbls., in lots, at 45½c. @ 46c. ℔ gallon.

FREIGHTS—For Liverpool, the engagements included 1,000 bbls. Flour at 1s. 10½d. ℔ bbl.; 45,000 bushels of Grain, by sailing vessel and steamer, at 5½d. @ 7½c. ℔ bushel; also, by steamer, 35 tns. Beef at 5s. ℔ tierce, and 1,500 boxes Cheese at 35c. @ 40c. ℔ ton. For London, 4,000 bbls. Flour at 2s. 3d. @ 2s. 7½d. ℔ bbl.; 200 bales Hops at 3-16d. ℔ lb. For Bristol, 50 tons Heavy Goods at 22s. 6d. ℔ ton. For Cardiff, 20,000 bushels Grain at 5s. 9d. ℔ quarter. For an Irish port direct, a vessel with Grain at 6s. 3d. ℔ quarter. For Cork and orders, three British vessels with Grain at 6s. 9d. @ 7s. ℔ quarter.

Movements of European Steamers.

FROM AMERICA.

Louisiana	Aug. 14	New-York	Liverpool.
America	Aug. 15	Quebec	Liverpool.
City of Manchester	Aug. 15	New-York	Liverpool.
America	Aug. 15	New-York	Bremen.
Arabia	Aug. 16	Boston	Liverpool.
Cornelia	Aug. 22	New-York	Southampton.
Glasgow	Aug. 22	New-York	Liverpool.
Saxonia	Aug. 22	New-York	Hamburg.
China	Aug. 26	New-York	Liverpool.
Persia	Aug. 26	New-York	Liverpool.
City of Washington	Aug. 27	New-York	Liverpool.
Great Eastern	Sept. 2	New-York	Liverpool.
Asia	Sept. 5	Boston	Liverpool.
Teutonia	Sept. 5	New-York	Southampton.
Arabia	Sept. 12	New-York	Liverpool.

FROM EUROPE.

Saxonia	July 29	Southampton	New-York.
Hibernia	July 29	Liverpool	New-York.
Virginia	July 29	Liverpool	Quebec.
City of Washington	Aug. 5	Liverpool	New-York.
Hibernian	Aug. 6	Liverpool	Quebec.
Kangaroo	Aug. 6	Liverpool	New-York.
Africa	Aug. 8	Liverpool	Boston.
Moon	Aug. 11	Liverpool	New-York.
Venetia	Aug. 11	Southampton	New-York.
Columbia	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York.
City of Baltimore	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York.
Great Eastern	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York.
Persia	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York.
City of London	Aug. 19	Liverpool	New-York.
Carolina	Aug. 19	Liverpool	New-York.
Saxonia	Aug. 19	Liverpool	New-York.
City of Limerick	Aug. 21	Liverpool	New-York.
Africa	Aug. 22	Liverpool	Boston.
Aragon	Aug. 26	Southampton	New-York.
Anglia	Aug. 26	Liverpool	New-York.
City of New-York	Aug. 26	Liverpool	New-York.
Asia	Aug. 29	Liverpool	New-York.
Georgia	Sept. 2	Liverpool	New-York.

FROM NEW-ORLEANS.

Morning Star	Aug. 15	New-York	New-Orleans.

European Mails.

The mails for Ireland by the *City of Manchester*, close on Saturday, at 10½ A. M.

The mails for Great Britain and the Continent by the *America*, close on Saturday, at 10½ A. M.

For New-Orleans.

The mails for New-Orleans by the *Morning Star*, close on Saturday, at 3 P. M.

For Nassau, N. P.

The mails for Nassau by the *Corsica*, close on Saturday, at 10½ A. M.

Departure of Domestic Mails.

North Mails close at ..... 5 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.
South Mails close at ..... 6 A. M. 2:30 and 12 P. M.
Western Mails (via Erie Railroad) ..... 7 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.
Eastern Mails at ..... 5 A. M., 1 and 6:30 P. M.
Mails for ships leaving Quarantine ..... 9 A. M.
Mails for California, Oregon, Washington and the Sandwich Islands, only at the New-York Post-office at 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.
The Boston and Albany Mail closes at 2:30 P. M.

PERSONAL.

INFORMATION WANTED—OF CARMEL TOWNSEND, of Poughkeepsie, New-York, who was a member of the Seventy-fourth regiment New-York National Guards, and went with that regiment into Pennsylvania, and from there to this City, when his comrades thought he exhibited symptoms of mental derangement; when the regiment left for home, on the 21st of July, afterwards on board the Hudson River Cars. It was discovered young TOWNSEND was missing, since which time he has not been heard from. TOWNSEND has served two years in the Fourteenth New-York Volunteers, and was discharged last Spring at Utica, with the rest of his regiment. He is a man about 23 years of age, and weighs about 170 pounds. Any information of his whereabouts will be gratefully received and suitably rewarded, by calling at room No. 275 Astor House.

New-York, Aug. 13, 1863. E. P. GOSLIN.

DRY GOODS

RAVEN & BACON.

Manufacturers of Grand and Square Piano Fortes. Warerooms No. 135 Grand-st., near Broadway, N. Y. The long experience and the many facilities we possess enable us to produce instruments unsurpassed by any other establishment. Our personal attention is given to the construction, improvement and introduction of all essential changes that may be required to make a perfect piano forte. Purchasers are invited to call and examine our large assortment of pianos which we are now offering on favorable terms. Descriptive circulars sent by mail.

R. H. MACY,

LACES, EMBROIDERIES, LACE SHAWLS, LINEN EDGES, RIBBONS, MILLINERY, WHITE GOODS,
LINENS, FLANNELS, HOUSEKEEPING GOODS, HOSIERY, PARASOLS, SUN UMBRELLAS, MADE-UP UNDERCLOTHING.

N. B.—LADIES' AND GENTS' KID GLOVES, ONE DOLLAR A PAIR, EQUAL IN QUALITY TO ANY IN THE CITY. R. H. MACY,
Nos. 204 and 206 6th-av., 3 doors below 14th-st.

FOUNTAIN'S INDIA AND AMERICAN INDIAN STORE, No. 365 BROADWAY, between 13th and 14th sts. Special story is filled with goods from JAPAN, INDIA, CHINA, MANILLA and American Indians, not to be found elsewhere, viz.: PINEAPPLE goods and dresses new; do. plain white; SILKS, SATINS, SEERSUCKERS, CONCANS, CRAPES, BATHING SUITS, LACQUERED ARTICLES; elegant CHINA and TEA SETS; NEW French and Chinese feather FANS; American INDIAN fans with birds, and bark work; CANOES; Sandal-wood FANS and Boxes with suitable fancy articles for Europeans. Wholesale and retail. Catalogues sent per mail.

ZEPHYR WORSTED CLOSING OUT.—Eight thousand pounds at retail at wholesale prices. Ladies out of the City would do well to send their orders, as Worsted will be very high this Fall. Saxony Yarns, all colors, Canvas Needles, &c., &c. N. B.—A great variety of Knit Nets. Fancy and Fancy Goods, at ELGER'S, Nos. 308 and 310 Broadway.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

BOARD WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN, WIFE and two children, between the ages of 7 and 11 years, and servant. Three or four rooms required, in a respectable locality in New-York or Brooklyn; with a religious family preferred. Prompt pay and desirable boarders in all respects. Address, with full particulars as to accommodations, price, &c., N., Box No. 137 *Times* Office.

BOARD WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, in the second and third floors, well-furnished, with good board, for which a liberal price will be paid. Location between 14th and 34th sts., and between Lexington and 4th avs. References given and required. Address Post-office Box No. 5,622.

BOARDING.—AN ELIGIBLE APARTMENT IN A very small, unobtrusive family, to let, with board, to an invalid, or a lady expecting to require medical care, kindness and home attention. For location, terms, &c., apply to or address Dr. THIERS, No. 1,317 Broadway.

WANTED—PERMANENT BOARD FOR A GENTLEMAN and wife, with parlor and bedroom unfurnished except carpet; commodious closets required. Also, a large room with board for two young gentlemen. Location between 12th and 20th sts. and 3d and 6th avs. References exchanged. Prices must not be extravagant. Address S. M. E., Box No. 2,984 Post-office, New-York.

AT NO. 176 EAST 14TH-ST.—A ROOM TO let; result a gentleman and wife, or two single gentlemen, on the second floor; a hall room on the third floor; the location is good, the house airy and pleasant; reference required.

A GENTLEMAN DESIRES BOARD FOR himself and wife in a private family up town. Address A. B., Box No. 1,301 Post-office.

COUNTRY BOARD.

DESIRABLE COUNTRY BOARD CAN BE procured for the Summer and Fall season in a commodious country residence, surrounded with shade and beautiful scenery, and handsomely located among the hills. Air is pure, healthy and cool. Liberal table, neat rooms, and piano. Reference required. Address H. E., Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y.

COUNTRY BOARD—AT WATERLOO, N. J., near Long Branch; has a beautiful view of the Atlantic; good sea or river bathing; plenty of shade; terms for adults, $5; children and servants half price. Steamer *Helen* leaves Robinson-st. pier every day, at 3 o'clock. For information, call on J. E. WHITE, No. 142 Fulton-st., or address S. S. WYCKOFF, Waterloo, near Port Washington, N. J.

CROFT HOUSE—TWENTY MINUTES FROM Garrison's depot, opposite West Point, beautifully located on the Highlands. A few suites of rooms may be had on early application. For terms, inquire at No. 102 Pearl-st. OSCAR VON GERZABEK, Proprietor.

A PLEASANT SUITE OF ROOMS, IN A desirable location, can be obtained in Tarrytown by applying to Mrs. M. LISTON.

TO LET.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET, NEAR Gramercy Park, No. 13 Lexington-av., with key to the park; is a broad and comfortable house, 30 by 60; well furnished, and will be rented to a private family only. Possession 1st of September. For permits address Box No. 5,960 Post-office.

TO LET—THE BASEMENT UNDER THE TIMES Office, fronting Park-row, 32x16 feet. Inquire in office of the *Agricultural*, No. 41 Park-row.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—A MODERN BUILT, THREE-STORY house, in good order, between 3d and 6th avs., from about 12th to 20th sts., by a private family. The most responsible references given. Possession may time from now till the 1st of November. Address WM. B. ROSS, No. 39 Wall-st. House rent not over $1,000.

LOST AND FOUND.

$25 REWARD.—STOLEN ON JULY 28, FROM 8 Barclay-st., a long tail BAY MARE, 16 hands high, little speckled on the hind legs; also a HARness on the mare; was last seen near Camden, N. J. GEO. F. BELLOWS, Metropolitan Stables.

FOUND—ON TUESDAY, AUG. 11, IN CHATham-st., a sum of money. The owner can have the same, by proving property and paying advertising expenses. Address, with full particulars, J. L. B., Chatham-square P. O.

MACHINERY.

BOILERS.—FOR SALE, THREE STEAMBOAT boilers in complete order. They are 35 feet long and 11 feet through. Apply to AYMAR & CO., Nos. 34 and 35 South-st.

WANTED—ONE OF RODGERS' TOBACCO CUTting Machines and Steam Boilers. Apply at No. 161 Maiden-lane.

TODD & RAFFERTY, MACHINERY MERCHANTS, No. 13 Dey-st., works at Paterson, N. J. Manufacture stationary and portable steam engines and boilers, flax, hemp, tow, oakum, rope machinery, &c.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—COACHES, FINE FOUR and six-seat Rockaways, Germantowns, fine top and no top buggies, park, depot and express wagons, harness, &c., at TAYLOR'S, No. 46 Cedar-st., opposite the Post-office.

WANTED—STALLS IN A PRIVATE STABLE for three horses, with two carriages; location near the 6th-av. and not above 16th-st. Address R. B. B., Box No. 178 *Times* Office.

STATIONERY.

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST INK.

AMERICAN UNION INK, jet black ink, flows freely, and does not corrode. Sold at No. 5 Ludlow-st., and at the stationers generally. JESSE G. KEYS.

SLOTE & JANES,

Stationers, Printers, and Blank Book Dealers, No. 23 Fulton-st. Orders respectfully solicited.

DENTISTRY.

DR. HOYT, DENTIST.—NO. 907 BROADWAY, three doors above 20th-st., inserts beautiful sets of Teeth on his improved Atmospheric Plates, with or without extracting the roots. On Gold, as low as $25. Silver, $2. Plates, (continuous gum,) $20. Rubber, $10. Teeth filled with Gold, Silver and Amalgam. Artificial Bone Pilling inserted without pain. Extracting, 25c. No charge for extracting when artificial teeth are inserted. All work warranted.

PRINTING.

CHEAPEST PRINTER IN THE WORLD.

BUSINESS CARDS, INCLUDING CARDS, $1 per 1,000. Billheads, $3 per 1,000. Circulars in large quantities, 50 cents per 1,000, and labels 50 cents. ALL KINDS OF BOOK, JOB AND NEWSPAPER PRINTING equally cheap. T. R. DAWLEY'S new establishment, No. 13 Park-row, opposite the Astor House.

SUBSTITUTES.—SUBSTITUTES WANTED and the highest bounty paid. Those wishing to go will do well to call at No. 97 West-st., corner of Albany, up stairs. Also wanted, men for the navy, and three months' advance paid. HENRY JAMES, Agent.

SUBSTITUTES WANTED! SUBSTITUTES WANTED!! SUBSTITUTES WANTED!!! —Large cash bounties paid. Come on and get your money. Highest prices paid to No. 635 Walnut-st., second floor, Philadelphia.

AUCTION SALES.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE OF PRIZE PROPERTY.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of orders of sale directed to me by Hon. William Marvin, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT
Miller & Conger's stores, Nos. 249 and 249 South-st., New-York,
On THURSDAY, Aug. 13, 1863,
At 12 o'clock M.,

Cargo prize schooner MARIA:
68 bales UPLAND COTTON,
3 half-bales UPLAND COTTON,
29 bales SEA ISLAND COTTON,
5 half-bales SEA ISLAND COTTON.
Cargo prize schooner JULIA:
62 bales UPLAND COTTON,
Cargo prize schooner EMMA:
122 bales UPLAND COTTON,
2 bags PICKINGS.
Cargo prize schooner FASHION:
12 bbls. POTASH,
16 half bbls. POTASH,
48 bags SALT.
Cargo prize schooner DIANA:
117 bags SALT.
Cargo prize schooner EMMA AMELIA:
9 casks GLASSWARE.

Catalogues and samples of COTTON at the office of BENNER & BROWN, No. 115 Wall-st., ten days before sale. JAMES C. CLAFF,
U. S. Marshal Southern District Florida.

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By virtue of orders of sale directed to me by Hon. Wm. Marvin, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT
LAIMBEER'S STORES, ATLANTIC DOCKS, BROOKLYN,
On FRIDAY, Aug. 14, 1863,
At 12 o'clock M.,
CARGO OF PRIZE STEAMER PLANTER,
CONSISTING OF
825 bales UPLAND COTTON;
200 barrels RESIN.

Samples of cotton and catalogues at the office of Benner & Brown, No. 115 Wall-st., three days before sale.

ALSO,
At the same time and place,
THE PRIZE STEAMER PLANTER,
as she now lies, with all on board, at the Atlantic Dock. She is a side-wheel, high pressure river boat, of about 800 tons burden. JAMES C. CLAFF,
United States Marshal Southern District Florida.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 25th day of August, 1863, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the UNION STORES, BROOKLYN, the cargo of the prize steamer GERTRUDE, consisting of
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
ARMY BOOTS AND SHOES,
SHOE THREAD,
FAPER,
SODA ASH,
DRUGS & MEDICINES,
&c., &c.
ROB. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
By BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 25th day of August, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Union Stores, Brooklyn, the cargo of the prize steamer SUNBEAM, consisting of
HARDWARE,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
DRY GOODS,
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
LEAD,
BRANDY,
HATS AND CAPS,
ARMS AND AMMUNITION,
&c., &c.
R. MURRAY,
United States Marshal.
Aug. 12, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE,
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 22d day of August, 1863, at 11 o'clock A. M., on board thereof, the PRIZE SHIP NORTH CAROLINA, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B.—The above vessel lies at the Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 22d day of August, 1863, at 12 o'clock noon, on board thereof, the PRIZE STEAMER ELIZABETH, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B.—The above vessel lies at the Union Stores, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 22d day of August, 1863, at 11 o'clock A. M., on board thereof, the PRIZE SHIP PRINCE LEOPOLD, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B.—The above vessel lies at the Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 25th day of August, 1863, at 11 o'clock A. M., on board thereof, the PRIZE SCHOONER WINNIFRED, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B.—The above vessel lies at the Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 22d day of August, 1863, at 11 o'clock A. M., on board thereof, the PRIZE BRIG DELTA, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B.—The above vessel lies at the Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. NAVY AGENT'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

Will sell on FRIDAY, August 21, at 12 o'clock at the U. S. Navy-yard, Brooklyn
(By order and under direction of J. Henderson, Esq., U. S. Navy Agent,)
STEAMER UNCAS.

The steamer UNCAS, of 511 tons register, length 121 feet; beam 23 feet; depth of hold 9 feet 3 inches. She has two propellers and a high deck aft, under which are her cabins, &c.

Terms cash, and she must be removed immediately.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.
BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 17th day of August, at 12 o'clock noon, on board thereof, at Wheeler's Stores, Atlantic Docks, Brooklyn, the bark *Spring Bok*, her tackle, apparel, &c., as she now lies at Wheeler's Stores, Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn.
R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.

WILLIAM IRVING, Auctioneer.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c.—CLINTON H. OSGOOD will sell THIS DAY, Friday, Aug. 14, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom, No. 347 Cedar-st., Household furniture, consisting of Brussels, three-ply and stair carpets, oil-cloths, mahogany and cottage bedsteads, palliasses, suite furniture in green rept, mahogany and oak lounges, mahogany bookcase and secretary, rosewood suite in figured brocatel, rosewood étagères, ingrained and mahogany chairs, foot stools, window shades, cornices, stair rods, refrigerators, meat safes, washstands, tea tables, iron bedsteads, water coolers, milk cans, tinware, kitchen furniture, &c. Also, at 12 o'clock, 1 coupé rockaway, 4 seat do.; sorrel mare, 8 years old, 16 hands high, kind and gentle in all harness.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Salesroom No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.

MINER & SOMERVILLE WILL SELL at auction, on SATURDAY, Aug. 15, at 12 o'clock M., in front of their salesroom, No. 37 Nassau-st., dark brown horse, 16½ hands high, about 6 years old, warranted sound and kind in all harness, very stylish and free driver, free from blemish, and can trot in three minutes; top buggy, built to order by one of our best City manufacturers, has been run but a few times; set of silver plated mounted harness in perfect order; also, two-top buggy, in good order.

DEPOT OF ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

PUBLIC SALE OF CONDEMNED GOVERNMENT STORES, will be sold at auction at the warehouse on 4th-st., near B-st., on MONDAY, Aug. 24, 1863, at 10 o'clock A. M., a large lot of clothing, camp and garrison equipage, unfit for service, consisting in part of bouveers, coats, jackets, blankets, bed-sacks, knapsacks, haversacks, canteens, mess-pans, kettles, shovels, picks, tents, trumpets, bugles, drums, &c., &c. Lot of old rope, or old iron, and several tons of tent cuttings.

Terms cash in Government funds.

DANIEL C. THOMAS,
A. A. G. U. S. Army.

AUCTION SALES.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE,
By BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 22d day of August, 1863, at 12 o'clock at noon, on board thereof, the PRIZE STEAMER GUACHITA, HER TACKLE, &c.
N. B. The above vessel lies at the Union Stores, Brooklyn. R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.
Aug. 11, 1863.

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Corner of G and 23d sts., WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24, 1863.

PUBLIC SALES OF CONDEMNED ANIMALS will take place at the Corral, near the Observatory, in this city, on the second and fourth Wednesdays, 12th and 26th of August, 1863.

The property is condemned as unfit for public service. Sales to commence at 10 o'clock A. M., and be continued from day to day until the number on hand shall be sold. Terms cash, in Government funds.

C. H. TOMPKINS, Captain, A. Q. M. U. S. A.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A competent, tidy woman, with excellent City reference, a situation as chambermaid, and nurse, or wait on table and wash for a lady and child; wages $6; country or City. Call at No. 120 East 21st-st.

AS COOK, &c.—WANTED, BY A YOUNG, neat and experienced woman, with excellent City reference, a situation as cook and to do part of the washing and ironing, baking and pastry, soups and game; wages $8; City or country. Call at No. 152 East 31st-st.

AS HOUSEMAID.—A WELL RECOMMENDED, willing and obliging young woman desires a situation in the city or country, as down-stairs servant or to do general housework; is a good washer and ironer, cook and baker. Call at No. 276 6th-av.

AS LAUNDRESS.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman wishes a situation as laundress; she thoroughly understands her business, and can give the best of City references. Call at No. 111 West 26th-st., top floor.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—A VERY respectable German girl desires a situation, as nurse and seamstress; understands the care of children thoroughly and a very neat seamstress; has the highest references from former employers. Apply at BEDELL'S, No. 307 4th-av.

AS WAITRESS, &c.—WANTED A SITUATION as waitress, chambermaid and waitress, or nurse and seamstress, by a Protestant young woman with good City reference. Apply at No. 7 11th-st., between Broadway and University-place.

AT THE FIRST-CLASS SERVANTS' INSTITUTE, corner of 11th-st. and 6th-av., are always on hand good servants to suit all, and good places for all. German, English, Scotch, American, Irish, and Protestants, civil and capable. Also, small girls.

MALES.

TO THE HARDWARE TRADE.

A young man having had seven years' experience as salesman in one of the largest houses in the trade, and had peculiar advantages for a full knowledge of the business, wishes a situation with a first-class house who want a tip-top salesman. Is also a good writer and accountant. The very best of references from former house. Any wholesale house wishing an excellent man, both as to character and ability, will address B., Box No. 113, Brooklyn.

AS CLERK OR SALESMAN.—WANTED, A situation as clerk or salesman in a cloth or fancy dry goods house, by an experienced young man, who can give good reference. Salary not so much an object. Address SALESMAN, care of the Mercantile Employment Agency, No. 256 Broadway.

AS CLERK OR SALESMAN.—WANTED, A situation as clerk or salesman in a wholesale dry-goods house, by an experienced young man, who can give good reference. Address INDUSTRY, care of the Mercantile Employment Agency, No. 256 Broadway.

AS ORDER CLERK.—WANTED, A SITUATION as order clerk in a wholesale drug-house, by a thoroughly competent young man, who can give the best of references. Address DRUGS, care of the Merchants' Clerks Advertising Agency, No. 131 Fulton-st.

AS ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, &c.—Wanted, a situation as assistant bookkeeper, shipping, entry or general clerk, by an experienced young man, who can give the best of reference. Address GAPARLE, care of the Merchants' Clerks Advertising Agency, No. 131 Fulton-st.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION as coachman by a young man of long experience in the business; has lived with families of the highest standing in society in this City; can give several years' City reference. Address P. M., Box No. 218 *Times* Office.

AS COACHMAN.—A MARRIED MAN WANTS the situation as coachman in a private family; understands the care of horses and carriages thoroughly; has good reference; no objection to live in country. Address S. C., Box No. 209 *Times* Office, for two days.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, by a respectable young man, a situation as coachman and groom; understands his business thoroughly; good City and country references. Address M. C., Box No. 204 *Times* Office.

A GENTLEMAN WELL QUALIFIED BY experience, and with the best of City references for integrity and capacity, would like the traveling agency of some mercantile or manufacturing establishment; or he would take the consignment of merchandise to any part of the country within the Federal lines. Salary, or commission, may be conditional. Address J. T. P., Box No. 151 *Times* Office.

GERMAN FARMER'S FAMILY.—THEY are just landed, and wish a situation on a farm; have two children; he understands farming thoroughly and gardening; his wife is an excellent housekeeper; can milk, make butter, &c. A Protestant family preferred; looking for respectable and intelligent German help. Apply at the Employment Office, No. 20 4th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION FOR A BOY FIFTEEN years old, (large of his age,) in some good wholesale house—grocery preferred. He is a good penman. Apply to W. BARRIT, No. 7 Beekman-st., over Nassau Bank.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG, MARried man, in a respectable mercantile business. Address INQUIRER, Hempstead, L. I.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PROTESTANT cook; also a chambermaid and waitress and assist in the washing, for a private family, to go a short distance in the country. Apply this day, between 10 and 12, with City reference, at the Protestant Employment Agency, No. 122 4th-av., between 12th and 13th sts.

WANTED—IN A FIRST-CLASS JOBBING house, a youth in the hosiery stock to learn the business; must write a good hand. Salary first year $100. Address, giving age, &c., A. E., Box No. 127 *Times* Office.

DRUG CLERK.—WANTED, A YOUNG MAN, acquainted with the City retail and prescription business. Apply at the drug store corner of 10th-st. and 1st-av.

COLLAR MAKERS WANTED IMMEDIATELY, by WILKINSON & CUMMINGS, Springfield, Mass. 20 to make heavy harness collars, 30 to make short straw collars. Good wages and a long job guaranteed.

WANTED,—TWO RESPECTABLE BOYS TO ACT *as cash boys, from 15 to 16 years of age. Apply at* B. W. H. WARD'S, No. 307 Broadway.

WANTED—A MAN AS VALET, TO GO TO MELbourne, Australia, with a merchant. Salary liberal. Apply to Mr. SPINK, No. 7 Chatham-square.

$10 PER DAY NET PROFIT.—AGENTS wanted, for a light wholesale business. Send stamp for a circular to C. F. SHULTZ, Troy, New-York.

HOUSE CARPENTERS WANTED AT NO. 145 Suffolk-st. None but good workmen need ap

MEDICAL.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT TO BOTH SEXES, period or sing, in health or disease. Dr. LAMONT'S Paris, London and New-York Medical Adviser and Marriage Guide, (Illustrated,) 300 pages, nearly 100 medical illustrations, 25 cts. Mailed free for 25 cts. Sexual Debility, Urinary Diseases, Gravel, Diabetes, Loss of Semen, Impotency, Stricture, Fits, Epilepsy and Kidneys, Gentle-Urinary Diseases and their consequences, the anatomy of the sexual organs of the male and female; latest remedies in use, Europe, hospital practice; quacks, their tricks and exposure; the author's unequaled Paris and London treatment, &c. Mailed free for 25, closely sealed. All who would avoid unsuccessful and barbarous treatment, the Mercury, Capsules, Injections, Cauterizing, Quack Nostrums, Artificial Instruments, &c., should read this, the original work of Dr. WARNER, No. 1 Vesey-st., S. TOUSEY, No. 121 Nassau-st.; LANDON, No. 10 Lake-st., Chicago; or consult the Doctor, No. 647 Broadway, (up stairs,) New-York, from 9 A.M. to 9 P.M., except Saturday and Sunday.

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DR. CORBETT, MEMBER OF THE N. Y. University (Medical College,) and Royal College of Surgeons, London, has removed from No. 19 Dominick-st. to his most very convenient suite of offices at No. 22 Centre-st., between Chambers and Reade sts., with a private entrance at No. 4 City Hall-place, where he can be consulted with the most honorable confidence on all diseases (the result of the errors of youth) they may fall in his present specialty, (three of which have been at the Hospitals of this City,) enable him to guarantee a cure in every case undertaken, or make no charge. Strictures of long standing, or other complicated troubles, treated on the most scientific principles. N. B.—As a proof of Dr. C's qualifications, he would call special attention to his Diplomas, which can be seen in his office.

DR. COOPER, NO. 14 DUANE-ST., MAYBE confidentially consulted on all diseases of a private nature. A practice of 20 years, devoted to the treatment and cure of Syphilitic Mercurial and other diseases of a delicate nature, enables Dr. C. to make speedy and permanent cures, no matter of how long standing the case may be. Strictures of the urethra and seminal weakness, brought on by a secret habit, effectually cured. The ravages of mercury, or other medicines, whether used by quack advertisements, can call on Dr. C. with the certainty of being radically cured. N. B.—Dr. C. is a qualified physician and surgeon, and a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New-York. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

MANHOOD AND THE VIGOR OF YOUTH Manifested in three days by Dr. POWERS' ESSENCE OF LIFE. This wonderful agent restores manhood to the most shattered constitution, radically curing Seminal Weakness, Sexual Debility, and impediments to marriage generally; Nervousness, Mental and Physical Prostration, Premature Decay, Aversion, &c. The time required to cure the most inveterate case is one week. Failure is impossible. This life-restoring remedy should be taken by all about to marry, as its effects are permanent. Young man, are you subject to that soul and body destroying habit? Do your manhood to the most shattered constitution—physical disqualifications, impediments to marriage, thereby speedily cured. The men to consult, Drs. Ward and Powers, the champions and kings of venereal diseases, possessing the most certain, speedy and safe cures of any physicians in the world, guaranteed a perfect cure, or no charge, in from one to three days. Established in 1826. N. B.—Those who have used their preparations are never without. Send for a circular. To Delicate Females Powers' Periodical Drops are a safe and certain remedy, monthly irregularities. The only genuine sent by mail. The afflicted should read their circular. Postage free on receipt of a stamp. Cures warranted.

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DR. POWERS' PERIODICAL DROPS are designed for both married and single ladies, and are the very best thing known for the purpose, as they will bring on the monthly sickness in case of obstruction from any cause, and after all other remedies of the kind have been tried in vain. Expressly for delicate cases. Warranted to cure in every respect, or the price will be refunded. ☞ Beware of Imitations! Purchase directly of Dr. POWERS, 56 Liespenard-st., New-York.

DR. WARDE'S MAGICAL INVIGORATORS, in the form of Pills, will, in fifteen minutes after being taken, make the recipient as vigorous as if nature had never been wounded or debilitated. To the unmarried or married, in search of offspring, they are invaluable, as nothing else is certainly recommended as a complete restorative of the nervous system where manhood has been impaired. Procured at Dr. WARDE'S, No. 10 Liespenard-st., between Broadway and Church-st. Call or send for circulars.

DR. WEST IS CONSULTED DAILY ON all diseases of a secret nature, at his private medical office, No. 27 Duane-st., between Chatham and Centre sts., and imparts to those who may wish to consult him a safe and speedy cure, without mercury, hindrance from business or change of diet. Elight cases cured in 2 or 3 days. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

ADVICE TO LADIES.—IN ALL CASES where infallible medicines are desired, or mode of treatment that never fails, call upon Dr. A. M. MAURIDEAU, Professor of Diseases of Women, author of "The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion," who treats female complaints exclusively. Office No. 12 Liberty-st.

SOMETHING FOR EVERY LADY.—DR. WARD'S Great Female Benefactor or Golden Regulating Pills. Infallible in correcting, regulating and removing all obstructions, from whatever cause, and they will never disappoint the anxious patient. Office, No. 60 Liespenard-st., near Broadway, where Dr. WARD can be consulted, confidentially, day and evening.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.—DISEASES OF females scientifically treated by Dr. THIERS, No. 1,317 Broadway, near 34th-st., New-York. Send a red stamp for ladies' circular, containing consultation, Board provided.

PRIVATE CONSULTATION.—DR. HUNTER has for thirty years confined his attention to diseases of a certain class, in which he has treated no less than 10,000 cases without an instance of failure. His great remedy, HUNTER'S RED DROP, cures certain diseases when regular treatment and all other remedies fail; cures without dietary or restriction in the habits of the patient; cures without the disgusting and sickening effects of all other remedies; cures in many cases in less than six hours; cures without the dreadful consequences of mercury, but possesses the peculiarly valuable property of annihilating the rank and poisonous taint in the blood it cures to absorb unless his remedy is used. That it is what he claims for it, and what no other will accomplish. Its value in this respect has become so well known, that scientific men in every department of medical knowledge begin to appreciate it, for hardly a week passes (hardly is not essential) by druggists, chemists and physicians to resort to some sinful patient who has exhausted the whole field of the faculty, and still the disease will appear. Its popularity is so great that there is not a quack doctor in the City that has not attempted to imitate it, but their lies are not so easily swallowed, they then pretend that they can make it. It is $1 a vial, and cannot be obtained genuine anywhere but at the old office, No. 3 Division-st. Book for 25 three-cent stamps, 96 pages, 100 colored illustrations. The best week gift.

FINANCIAL.

NOTICE.

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 10, 1863.

PARTIES HOLDING THIRTY (30) OR more coupons of the three years' seven and three-tenths per cent. bonds, maturing on the 15th inst., are requested to hand them in, with schedules, at any time before that date.

Holders availing themselves of the above, will have their coupons examined and checks given for them on the 15th inst., after 3 o'clock P. M.

Blank schedules will be furnished upon application at the interest desk of this office.

JOHN J. CISCO, Assistant Treasurer.

VERMILYE & CO.,
BANKERS, NO. 44 WALL-ST.,
Will continue to furnish
U. S. FIVE-TWENTY BONDS,
as long as issued by Government, at par and interest.
CHECKS ON CITY BANKS received in payment.
INTEREST on BONDS to commence on day of deposit.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND, for sale at market rate—
U. S. 6 PER CENT COUPON BONDS, of 1861.
U. S. CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS—Interest payable in Gold.
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SEVEN-THIRTY TREASURY NOTES.
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DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO.,
No. 40 Wall-st.,
BANKERS
and dealers in United States Government Securities of all Descriptions.
Stocks and Bonds bought and sold on commission.
Gold for duties at current rates.
Mercantile collections made on all points in the United States and Canada.

AGENCY OF THE
U. S. 5-20 YEAR 6 PER CENT LOAN.
OFFICE OF
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
No. 20 WALL-ST., N. Y.

We are instructed to continue AS AGENTS to supply these Bonds AT PAR, interest in Gold, commencing at the time of subscription.

Orders accompanied by draft or current funds will receive prompt attention.

LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
BANKERS, AND DEALERS IN SECURITIES AND GOLD.

AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF
U. S.
FIVE-TWENTY BONDS,
NO. 38 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

It having been determined to extend the time for the issue of FIVE-TWENTY BONDS, we shall continue to act as agents and furnish the bonds as heretofore, at par, with interest commencing from date of subscription.

FISK & HATCH,
BANKERS, NO. 38 WALL-ST., N. Y.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS' CREDITS FOR USE IN THE COUNTRY AND ABROAD.

BANK OF LOUISIANA, NEW-ORLEANS.

Stockholders of the Bank of Louisiana at New-Orleans, or their representatives here, are requested to call immediately at the Merchants' Bank, New-York.

EDWARD KING

Offers his services at the Board of Brokers for the purchase or sale of STOCKS, BONDS AND GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, No. 4 Hanover-st.

OFFICE OF THE CENTRAL PARK
NORTH AND EAST RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY,
1 STATE-ST., NEW-YORK.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of this Company, held on Tuesday, 11th day of August, 1863, the following gentlemen were unanimously elected Directors for the ensuing year:

FRANCIS SKIDDY,
CHARLES BURKHALTER,
DAVID DOWS,
JOHN K. PRUYN,
THOMAS T. DAVIS,
CHARLES REED,
JOHN BUTLER, Jr.,
WILLIAM R. STEWART,
AUGUSTUS L. BROWN,
EDWARD R. PHELPS,
JOHN C. COOKE,
E. DELAFIELD SMITH,
GEO. H. ELLERY.

And for Inspectors of the next annual election:

CHARLES G. CORNELL,
AARON VANDERPOEL,
REUBEN BURKHALTER.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board, held this day, JOHN BUTLER, Jr., was unanimously elected President.

HENRY S. WILSON was elected Secretary, and EDWARD R. PHELPS was elected Treasurer.

HENRY S. WILSON,
Aug. 12, 1863. Secretary.

SCHENECTADY AND CATSKILL RAILROAD.—Notice is hereby given that books of subscription to the capital stock of the Schenectady and Catskill Railroad will be opened at the office of R. G. Stebbins & Sons, No. 48 Exchange-place, New-York, on THURSDAY, Aug. 13, and will remain open until SATURDAY, Aug. 22. The Company is fully organized under the general law of 1850. The capital, $1,000,000. Shares, $100 each; 10 per cent. to be paid at the time of subscribing. The construction of the road not to be commenced until the entire capital stock is subscribed. The amount of stock to be subscribed in the City of New-York is $600,000. In case of excess of subscription beyond the capital stock, the distribution will be pro rata among all the subscribers.

The road connects with the New-York Central Railroad at Schenectady, and runs thence to Catskill, forty miles, in a direct or air-line, with a remarkably easy grade. The saving in distance from Schenectady to Catskill, between this route and that via Albany, is twelve miles by rail and twenty by canal, and still greater saving in time and facility of transportation, by avoiding the inconvenience and detention of the overslaugh and twenty-mile locks. A line of swift and superior steamers will meet the cars at Catskill, making the passage from that place to New-York in five hours. Results will give a proportion of the travel and freight of the New-York Central, it will receive most of the travel and freight of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad by its intersection ten miles below Schenectady. It will receive the accumulations of freight and passengers west from railroad lines extending to Lake Erie, north from Lake Champlain, Canada and Saratoga, and south from a cheap river travel of one hundred and ten miles, with ample depth of water, and wholly free from obstruction—all by the construction of only forty miles of track, on one of the most economical routes known in the history of American railroads. Of the speedy construction of the road, and its large profits, no doubt need be entertained. Contractors of responsibility and experience offer to complete the double-track, rolling stock, fences, &c., within the capital.

D. D. CAMPBELL, President.

CAUTION.—THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATES issued by the trustees of the Illinois Central and Mississippi Railroad Company, Eastern Division, having been lost or mislaid, and application having been made for the issue of new certificates in their place, the public are cautioned against negotiating the same, transfer thereof having been stopped, viz.:

Ctf.....No. 218....	$57,920 83	In name of Geo. Peabody & Co., Trustees.
Ctf.....No. 1,622....	250,102 41	
Ctf.....No. 416....	5,624 02	In name of Geo. Peabody & Co., Trustees.
Ctf.....No. 1,623....	9,337 50	

J. PIERPONT MORGAN & CO.,
53 Exchange-place.

OFFICE OF NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 6 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, July 8, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Books of Subscription to the increased Capital of the NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY are now open at the office of the Company, No. 6 Wall-st., and will continue open until the 20th day of August next, at which date the books will be closed. By order.

R. W. BLEECKER, Secretary.

BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW-YORK, JULY 31, 1863.—An installment of $60 on each share of the remaining Scrip Shares of this Bank is required to be paid on or before the 1st day of October next, with interest thereon from the 1st instant, which payment will then entitle the shareholders to receive the next dividend on full shares.

H. P. VAIL, Cashier.

THE FIRST MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS of the Cincinnati, Wilmington and Zanesville Railroad Company will please deposit their bonds in the hands of CHARLES MORAN, Esq., No. 10 Wall-st., to be used in the purchase of the road.

NEW-YORK, July 27, 1863.

MANHATTAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.—Full and scrip stock for sale by A. H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., No. 5½ Pine-st.

"ATLANTIC AND GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.—Coupons on the Bonds of this Company will be paid on presentation by McANDREW & WANN, No. 19 Pine-st.

DIVIDENDS.

NINTH DIVIDEND.

OFFICE OF THE GERHARD FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 1 PINE-ST.,

The Board of Directors have declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of *Five Per Cent.*, payable (free of Government tax,) on the 1st day of August.

JOHN R. SMITH, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, July 23, 1863.

CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY, TREASURER'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, July 27, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that a dividend of Three and One-Half Per Cent. (less Government tax) on the Preferred Stock, and a dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent. (free of Government tax) on the Common Stock of this Company, be paid to the registered stockholders of the Company, on and after Aug. 22, at the office of Messrs. G. S. Robbins & Son, No. 34 William-st., New-York.

The transfer books will be closed on Aug. 15, and reopened on Aug. 23, 1863, and the dividend will be payable only to the stockholders registered at the United States Trust Company, New-York, on Aug. 15.

JOSEPH FRICK, Treasurer and Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 31 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, AUG. 10, 1863.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have this day declared a

SCRIP DIVIDEND
OF
FIFTY-FIVE PER CENT.

on the earned premiums of Participating Policies, the certificates for which will be ready for delivery on the 15th of October next.

ALSO,

AN INTEREST DIVIDEND OF SIX PER CENT. on outstanding Scrip, payable in cash on demand.

ALSO,

A CASH DIVIDEND OF SEVEN PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable to stockholders on demand.

All the above dividends are free from Government tax.

By order,

RICHARD L. HAYDOCK, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., NEW-YORK, AUG. 11, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) Per Cent. on the capital stock, out of the net earning of the last three months, payable, free of United States tax, to the stockholders, at the office of the Company, on and after Thursday, the 20th instant.

The transfer books will close on the 13th and reopen on the 24th instant.

By order of the Board.

F. W. G. BELLOWS, Secretary pro tem.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW-YORK, AUG. 4, 1863.

DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a semi-annual Dividend of Six per Cent., (free of Government tax,) payable on demand.

D. UNDERHILL, Secretary.

BANK OF THE REPUBLIC, NEW-YORK, July 31, 1863.

DIVIDEND.—A DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER Cent., free of Government tax, has this day been declared, out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Monday, 10th proximo. By order of the Board.

E. W. FORD, Cashier.

CITIZENS' BANK.—TWENTY-FOURTH DIVIDEND.—NEW-YORK, Aug. 11, 1863.—A Dividend of Four per cent. (free of Government tax) has been declared out of the profits of the last six months, payable on the 12th inst. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

S. N. COMSTOCK, Cashier.

LENOX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 2 Wall-st., NEW-YORK, July 15, 1863.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of Five (5) per Cent., payable on demand, free of Government tax.

WALTER M. FRANKLIN, Secretary.

SHIPPING

STEAMSHIP GREAT EASTERN.
NEW-YORK—LIVERPOOL.
HOWLAND & ASPINWALL, Agents.
THE STEAMSHIP
GREAT EASTERN,
WALTER PAYNE, Commander,
will be dispatched

From LIVERPOOL.	From NEW-YORK.
WEDNESDAY, Aug. 12,	WEDNESDAY, Sept. 9,
at 4 o'clock P. M., precisely.	at 3 o'clock A. M., precisely.

And at intervals thereafter, of about six weeks from each port.

First Cabin, from	$95 to $150
Second Cabin—State room berths, meals furnished at separate tables	$70
Excursion tickets out and back, in the first and second cabins only, a fifth and a half.	
Servants accompanying passengers, and children under 12 years of age, half fare. Infants free.	
Steerage—Intermediate state-rooms, passengers found with beds, bedding, table utensils, and good, substantial food, and attendance	$40
Steerage—With superior accommodations	$50

☞ Prices of Cabin passage from Liverpool at same rates as above.

Price of Steerage passage from Liverpool	$35

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Leave Manchester	6:45 and 10:35 A. M.
Returning,	leave New-York, foot of Murray-street, at 10:40 A. M. and 4:15 P. M.

The boat leaving New-York at 6:15 A. M. will be discontinued, and there will be no evening boat for New-York. A freight train, with passenger car attached, will leave Port Monmouth at 6:15 A. M. for Manchester. Connections are made at the main line, instead of 6:05 A. M. A freight train will also leave Long Branch for Port Monmouth at 4 P. M.

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NEW-YORK, May 25, 1863.

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THEIR SERVICES DURING THE RIOT WEEK.

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TWENTY-FIRST PRECINCT.

Capt. A. M. PALMER, No. 120 East Twenty-fifth-street. The Captain, with his command, was in the battle with the mob on the morning of Monday, at the Provost-Marshal's office, Forty-sixth-street and Third-avenue. All the forces engaged, it will be recollected, were repulsed. On the return to the Station, the Captain went home, and, in consequence of the stoppage of the Third-avenue cars, could not get back again until Tuesday morning, when he reported with his command to the Central Office. The force was with Capt. PERRY's command on that morning at the disturbances in the vicinity of Sixteenth-street and Tenth-avenue, and the balance of the day and night on general duty at the Central Office. On Wednesday morning they were returned to their own Precinct, and in the afternoon the Captain, being sick, went home, and Sergeant BRACKETT took command. The force were kept in reserve in the Precinct, portions being constantly on valuable scouting and picket duty. All that night and all Thursday were gangs around, armed with clubs and other weapons, threatening dwellings, howling, hooting and terrifying citizens; the stores were all closed and terror reigned. Sergeant BRACKETT's well arranged plans of operating in detail, boldly seconded by his men, prevented any concentration or more serious demonstration during this period. At 7 P. M., Thursday, Officer CHARMAN was brought to the Station badly beaten, and was thence *conveyed to Bellevue Hospital. He had been attacked at Thirty-fourth-street and Second-avenue* by a gang, against which he made manful fight, but uselessly. During the night the Sergeant and his force continued on the qui vive, and no outrages occurred. They were in squads, here, there, everywhere, and although in an infected district, by their promptness, activity and intelligent movements, frustrated attempts at outrage.

On Friday morning Sergt. BRACKETT in command, with Sergt. HARRISON and thirty-five men repaired to Thirty-ninth-street and Second-avenue; the Seventh regiment was their escort; the block between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, and the First and Second avenues, were surrounded by the military. This was a thoroughly riotous district, and the Police went to work entering every house and searching it for goods stolen during the riots, from the cellar to and on the roof. Not a room, a closet, a rubby-hole, or a "between beds" was missed; every nook, corner and hole was investigated; sometimes the inmates, and generally with success, the perpetrators were continued in similar manner in Thirty-third-street, each block being surrounded by the military. At 4 P. M. the military were unfortunately withdrawn and the search had to cease. But an immense amount of property had been recovered, among it a full wagon load of fire arms, bayonets, pikes, &c., in all 173 pieces; furniture, groceries, drygoods, &c. &c., comprised the rest. Among contraband articles taken were five stock-headed clubs, villainous and murderous weapons which the owners had prepared for their work of murder and robbery. On Friday search by squads was renewed and another large amount recovered, among it some $400 worth of the property of the slaughtered Col. O'BRIEN, found at No. 186 East Thirty-fourth-street, where the thieves secreted it. This active work was kept up for several days, and with constant success. Sergeant WADMAN with fourteen men, and Roundsman MOONS with six, each in different portions of the Precinct, recovered thousands of dollars' worth. The catalogue of the goods retaken by the Twenty-first would make a large volume.

Although this force had but one encounter with the mob, their services in their Precinct were invaluable. They prevented many serious demonstrations, and in the duty of recovering goods were zealous and unflinching, notwithstanding its hazardous and unpleasant character. They have saved many thousands of dollars, by their efficient discharge of this duty to the Treasury.

Sergeant BRACKETT, on whom the command devolved, is entitled to great credit for the sagacity characterizing his action throughout, while his associate officers and the men have won a full share of the honors on the record.

TWENTY-SECOND PRECINCT.

Capt. J. C. SLOTT, Forty-seventh-street, between Eighth and Ninth-avenues. Monday morning Sergeant CROW and twelve men reported to Capt. POWERS, at the Marshal's Office, Forty-sixth-street and Third-avenue. Here was the first serious demonstration of the mob, and the first attack upon the Police, in which the latter were defeated by overwhelming numbers; this force returned soon after noon to the Station. Capt. SLOTT, with Sergeants ALDIS, POWERS and MERRIT, and the command, reported at Headquarters in the evening, from whence they accompanied Inspector CARPENTER and force to the Park, participated in the charge upon the mob from the *Tribune* office, and contributed to the strewing of the ground with the bodies of the lawless and riotous. Thence were on the tour through the Fourth Ward, at the fight in Roosevelt-street, and the subsequent skirmishes. At midnight were at headquarters again, but soon after sent to the Twentieth Precinct Station to protect it and its hundreds of refugees. They remained here until Thursday, when ordered to their own Precinct. Meantime, however, they had participated with the Twentieth in the active, rigorous fight with the mob, which at midnight Tuesday were attempting to destroy the colored Church in Thirtieth-street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. They went into this under "shot and shell," but every man with a will and determination that largely aided in the speedy and to the rioters, costly victory. Also was this Precinct in the storming of the barricades in Ninth-avenue; from Thirty-seventh to Forty-third street. Sergeant ALDIS, of the Twenty-second, was in command here, and after a charge made under a shower of bricks and shot, only withdrew his men long enough to let the military discharge a volley, when the force pressed forward again, took and removed them. So nearly all the way up, on approaching each barricade, were they under fire from street or house-tops, but made a clean sweep of all the obstructions. Several of the rioters were killed in this engagement. The force returned to the Twentieth Station. In the afternoon of Wednesday, Capt. SLOTT made an expedition to Forty-second-street and Tenth-avenue, clearing the coast there; subsequently Sergeant ALDIS was sent with command to Twenty-seventh-street and Seventh-avenue, where rioters were rampant, did the work of dispersal thoroughly, and on returning when near the arsenal was ordered by Gen. SAMPSON to take his force and a company of military then awaiting him, to Forty-second-street and Tenth-avenue, where the mob had again gathered, and were threatening to urn the residence of Mr. CAMPBELL. He at once wheeled, and with the added force of military, hurried up. The force was, on arrival, greeted with fusillade of defiance, and with shots and missiles from doors, windows and house-tops, as well as from the street. He halted, and tried a little moral suasion, begged of the rioters to desist and to retire; they gave him no heed, and the officer in command of the military made a similar appeal. *The only responses*, save from a few who got out of the way, were renewed yells and volleys. *The military then wheeled into sections on the avenue, one facing up the other down, the* Police in the centre, and opened fire. Men were shot down in the street, some picked off from the house-tops, and others from the windows, where they had been actively firing. In a few moments the mob was entirely dispersed, leaving their dead lying in the streets uncared for. This ended the "battle-field" operation of the Twenty-second, who were relieved from the Twentieth Precinct on Thursday, retiring to their own on ordinary duty. Capt. WALLING, of the Twentieth, speaks in eulogistic terms of the valuable services of this command while at his Precinct, and the history of their arduous and responsible duties, as well performed, more than justify him. Every call was promptly, cheerfully and bravely met, and more honor won by them for an organization which is now indexed with honors.

TWENTY-THIRD PRECINCT.

Capt. HENRY HUTCHINS, East Eighty-sixth-street, near Fifth-avenue. The force of this Precinct were, on Monday, left without orders, in consequence of the cutting of telegraph wires, until about 6 P. M., when a special messenger brought orders to report at the Central Office. Meantime, however, reached there in time to be with Inspector CARPENTER's command on its visit to the mob in the Park and Printing-House-square, and to join in the compliments so liberally bestowed upon the heads of the fleeing rascals. The force were on duty with the Inspector until returned to headquarters at midnight, and soon after were ordered under Sergt. CONELLAND to the receivers of the body of the negro hung in Clarkson-street. This duty was performed in a rain drenching every man to the skin, and as they were returning to headquarters, the command received the information that Mr. WAKEMAN's house, on Eighty-seventh-street opposite their Station, had been sacked and fired, and that the Station-house had also been consumed, and every article belonging to the place stolen or burned. Doorman ENLINE, who was left in charge, managed to save the telegraph instrument, but that was all. This entailed heavy loss upon officers and men.

Before they had breakfasted on Tuesday, this force were with Inspector CARPENTER on the expedition in Second-avenue. At Thirty-fifth-street an assault was made on the rear, and, simultaneously, with guns and missiles, from the tops and windows of a block of tenement houses on the avenue. Here the charge was ordered by Inspector CARPENTER upon the houses, and was where such hand-to-hand fighting ensued. A portion of the Twenty-third were among the assaulting party—the balance being busily engaged with the mob on the street. On this occasion a large number of the rioters were so punished as never to be able again to

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THE ORDER OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL.

GRAND PICNIC AT JONES WOOD.

A Gay and Happy Day to Aid a Noble Work.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, attached to the Catholic church of St. John the Evangelist, on the corner of Fiftieth-street and Madison-avenue, held its third annual picnic yesterday, in Jones' Wood. Before proceeding to detail the pleasant scenes of this graceful festival, it may not be amiss to remind our readers of the circumstances connected with

THE ORDER

from which the Society celebrating it in common with thousands of others throughout the Catholic world derives its name.

The celebrated founder of the Order or Mission of Priests that bears his name, VINCENT DE PAUL, was born, in 1576, in Southern France, and after completing his collegiate and ecclesiastical education at Toulouse, was, during a brief voyage on the Mediterranean, captured by Turkish rovers, and remained for a long time in slavery to them, as was the common fate of Christian captives in the East during that period. While thus degraded and suffering in position, he bore signal testimony to his own piety, learning, eloquence and constancy, as well as to the beauty of his creed, by converting his Mahometan master to Christianity. Having been liberated and restored to his native country, he became the Parish Priest of Clichy, where his devout bearing and unexampled benevolence attracted the attention of many persons of means around him. One of these, a pious and wealthy lady, aided him in establishing a congregation of missionary priests devoted to the religious instruction of the poor, and other noble acts of Christian charity. The chief seat of these missions was the religious house or priory of St. Lazarus, in the City of Paris, and from this fact the Order was long known as the Lazarlites. They were bound by complete monastic vows for the purpose of supporting missions, and were all regular priests. Notwithstanding all the persecutions of the revolutionary period, the Order survived, and owing to the great services they had rendered the people of the rural districts, were restored to their original status and destination by royal ordinance, in 1816. Up to 1830, they were distinguished as the active adherents and missionaries of the old Catholic party, who restored to them the greater part of their earlier possessions. In Spain, the Order has greatly extended and flourished; in Austria, although but recently admitted, it has made wide progress; in Poland, its members are called the "Fathers of the Mission," and are not only very numerous, but highly influential. Their ancient monasteries are still maintained in that country, and they are everywhere found as tutors of youth, teachers in seminaries and religious guides and monitors. Their establishments have even gained a foothold in China and Japan, and in America both North and South, but particularly the former, they are making rapid headway. The founder, St. Vincent, died in 1660, and was canonized in 1737.

Such is a brief sketch of the *Order* of St. Vincent and its originator. The religious *Societies* of St. Vincent are attached here in New-York to the various Catholic parish churches of the place, and spring up as each new parish is formed, the later offshoots being required to serve during one year of probational activity before being admitted to connection with the central association. The latter meets once a month in *general conference* in the school-house of St. Patrick's Cathedral on Mulberry-street, and there each parish *conference* or society is represented by its President for the transaction of business relating to the good of the whole body.

The main professed object of these Societies is the relief of the poor of their respective parishes, *without distinction of creed*, and the extent of this relief is limited only by the amount of available funds. During the last year the General Society, which numbers about twelve hundred persons, has distributed some $15,000 to the poor. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, has been in existence about three years, and, consequently, about two years in communion with the parent stem. It has achieved a vast amount of good, aided by the indefatigable efforts of its Pastor, Rev. JAMES MCMAHON, whose devotion to the best interests of his people was, we may remark, conspicuous during the riot week. The Society is altogether charitable in its objects, politics being excluded, and every meeting opening and closing with prayer. Upon seeking to join it no one is questioned concerning either his religious or political faith, but there are requisites connected with its service that render it unavoidable for members either to be good Roman Catholics or to conform to the rites of their church.

THE FESTIVAL.

As may be premised, so popular an association has hosts of well wishers, and as early as 10 o'clock, yesterday, favored by the delightful weather, throngs of gaily dressed people began to enliven the beautiful groves and lawns of Jones Wood. SCHERMERHORN, as usual, had done his best to render it inviting, and, lured by the delicious music of DODWORTH's twenty-five best pieces, merry dancers soon filled all the platforms. The clergy were represented on the scene by Rev. JAMES MCMAHON, pastor of St. Johns; Rev. Mr. MCEVOY, his assistant; and Rev. Messrs. WOODS of St. Patricks, NEILIGAN and BROSNY.

Messrs. JOHN HOGAN, THEODORE GERRY and WM. O'BRIEN, the President, Vice-President and Secretary of the Society, aided by an effective Committee, spared no exertion to enhance the pleasure of the occasion, which was honored by some five thousand persons, and netted a receipt to the fund of $850. In addition to this amount, the Society has now in its treasury about $350; and under its charge about 60 families, or 240 persons, whose comfort will be much improved during the approaching Winter by this liberal aid. They now receive from $1 to $1 25 per family every week, to assist them in their struggle against want.

The whole affair passed off most pleasantly and creditably for all concerned, and closed at 9 P. M.

CHECK FOR $10,000 FOUND.—Yesterday HENRY GERLING, an errand boy of the NEW-YORK TIMES office, found a check on the United States Treasury for $10,000. The check, which was picked up in front of the Occidental Restaurant, on Fourteenth-street, was drawn in favor of Major C. L. KING, by Capt. ROBINSON, Assistant Quartermaster. The draft was at once given by the lad to Major KING. A reward of $5 was given to the honest messenger boy.—*Washington Republican, Aug. 12.*

OBITUARY.

—Thomas Addis Emmet, Esq., a much-respected member of the Bar in this City, died on Wednesday at his residence, Astoria, L. I., at the age of sixty-five. Mr. Emmet was a nephew of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot and martyr to liberty, who made the name illustrious, and the son of Thos. Addis Emmet, who, thirty-two years since, was suddenly stricken down while engaged in his professional labors, and whose monument at St. Paul's Church is daily seen by thousands as they pass through Broadway. Mr. Emmet was a quiet, unassuming gentleman, pursuing the even tenor of his way through life, being careful only to transmit the legacy, priceless above political or social distinction, of a good name to his children. He was for a number of years a Master in Chancery, an office which he filled with ability. In early life he married a very estimable young lady, a member of one of our oldest, most respected and wealthy families. Mr. Emmet was a man of domestic habits, warmly attached to his family, and has been for a number of years a communicant of the Protestant Episcopal Church in which he was born. His funeral takes place at Astoria on Saturday.

—Benjamin M. Whitlock, Esq., formerly one of the prominent wholesale grocers of this City, died on Wednesday last at his residence in Westchester County, after a very brief illness. Mr. Whitlock, in consequence of the present troubles, lost overwhelmingly, because of the failure of his Southern customers to meet their engagements, and was compelled to relinquish his business, which had before been one of the most profitable in the City. He was a man of finest business capacity, and of noble, generous impulses. His hospitality was lavish, and he was noted especially for keeping one of the finest stude in the country, his stock and stables being the centre of admiration and interest. These and the remainder of his property he sacrificed when misfortune overtook him, in order honorably to meet his sudden embarrassments.

—Rev. Joseph M. McKee, of the Reformed *Dutch Church, died at Newark, N. J., on the 11th* inst. Mr. McKee was well known in this city, where, for a long period, he was employed as teacher in some of our best female schools. Six years ago, at the request of many prominent citizens, he went to Newark and opened a young ladies' school, the success of which was very marked. Probably no instructor ever received from his pupils higher personal regard.

PERSONAL.

The following is a list of Americans registered at GUY'S American Agency, No. 17 Charlotte-street, Bedford-square, London, England, for the two weeks ending Aug. 1, 1863:

Thomas D. Lowe, Dayton, Ohio; Geo. Halsman, Dayton, Ohio; Aleck Craig and wife, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. S. H. Porter, Philadelphia, Penn.; Miss Wheaton, Philadelphia, Penn.; J. A. Marsh, New-York; Stewart C. Marsh, Jr., New-York; Harrington J. McGrath, New-York; William J. Tait, Cleveland, Ohio; Wm. B. Holmes and lady, New-York; A. M. Gay, Boston, Mass.; Henry Stevens, Vermont; John F. Salter, San Francisco, Cal.; Mr. James Dundas, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Lippincott, Philadelphia; Mr. J. Dundas Lippincott, Philadelphia; Miss Anna Dundas Lippincott, Philadelphia; J. J. Walsh, Allahabad, India; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Francis, New-York; Mrs. Hodges and daughters, New-York; Mr. W. Hodges, New-York; Mr. Geo. B. English, New-York; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cameron, New-York; Wm. M. McPherson, St. Louis, Mo.; G. Andrews, St. Louis, Mo.; T. B. Lathrop, Washington, D. C.; Geo. Buckham, New-York; Mrs. Todd, Boston; Mrs. George W. Wright, New-York; Mr. and Mrs. A. Carter, New-York; L. A. Bigelow, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hearn, New-York.

—The widow of Brig.-Gen. Lander arrived in the City yesterday, from Port Royal, S. C., by the *Arago*. Mrs. Lander has spent the past seven months in the Hospitals at Beaufort and Hilton Head, where, aided by an excellent corps of nurses of her own organization, she has done a blessed work for the sick soldiers. Her services, and those of the self-sacrificing ladies under her direction, have been especially valuable since the bloody repulse of our forces at Fort Wagner; and it is gratifying to announce that under the kind attention they have received, our poor wounded fellows are progressing as favorably as can be expected in the torrid climate of the Sea Islands. We regret that Mrs. Lander's return North has been made imperative by the enfeebled state of her health, resulting from the arduous duties that she has so cheerfully performed.

—We understand, says the Wheeling *Intelligencer*, that Ex-Judge Thompson, who was banished from this State by the Federal Court, is constantly on the watch for his "oppressors," all of whom it is his intention to arrest whenever he can find them in the State of Ohio. For this purpose he has spies engaged, as in the case of Gov. Pierpoint, who was arrested by the Judge at the Bridgeport depot, one day last week, upon the charge of false imprisonment. The Governor having given the required bail, the Ex-Judge is now "laying for" Col. Darr, who had something to do with the Judge's detention in the Atheneum.

—Mr. Leonard Bennett, of Long Plain, near New-Bedford, Mass., hearing a noise in his henhouse the other night, started out to investigate, carrying a shot-gun with him. Seeing a moving figure, he leveled his piece, purposely aiming low, with the intention of shooting the thief in the legs, but the culprit chanced to be in a stooping posture and received the entire charge in his breast. He was killed instantly, and Mr. Bennet then found that he had shot James Walker, a man aged about 40 years.

—There is a report in circulation, predicated, it is claimed, on good authority, that Mr. Vallandigham has been urged by his political friends to withdraw from the Gubernatorial canvass. This move has been superinduced, it is said, by the recent successes of the Northern arms, putting at naught the oft-repeated assertions of the "Great Vanished," that the Government cannot put down the rebellion by force of arms.

—Gen. McClellan had a narrow escape at Sag Harbor the other day. James Talmadge, a nephew of Rev. S. L. Mershon, of Easthampton, was drowned while bathing in the surf, and Major-Gen. McClellan and several others, bathing at the same time, were in imminent peril from the heavy undertow.

— Gen. Hunter is at the Fillmore House, Newport, and Gen. Buell at the Ocean House. Gen. Sherman attended church last Sunday and a week ago Sunday. Last Sunday the excessive heat caused him to faint, but he recovered soon on reaching the open air.

—Col. C. C. Doolittle, Eighteenth Michigan Volunteers, was a few days since presented with a magnificent silver tea set by the subordinate officers of the regiment at Nashville, Tenn.

—Mr. HENRY GRATTON GUINNESS, who made an evangelizing tour to this country three years since, has become a Plymouth Brother, and has renounced the title "Reverend."

—Brig.-Gen. Butterfield passed through Boston on Tuesday, *en route* from the White Hills to New-York.

Our Artists.

WHERE THEY ARE AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

The whereabouts of our artists this Summer are thus described by the *Independent* of this week:

DURAND, the venerable Ex-President of the National Academy, is spending his second Summer on the shores of Lake George, at work with his usual industry on studies of trees and rocks.

CHURCH is residing upon his farm on the Hudson, opposite Catskill. His picture of the Iceberg is now exhibiting in London, and has drawn hearty commendation from the London critics.

GIFFORD, having returned from his third term of service with the Seventh regiment, has been in the Clove at Catskill, but during the Summer will revisit the Mansfield Mountains (already made famous by his pencil,) and also spend some time among the White Mountains.

BELLOWS is at Amherst, Mass. Engravings are in progress by GOUPIL & Co. from his series of pictures called "Life's Day."

PAGE is at Englewood, N. J., where he is permanently located. Besides several fine portraits, he has on a colossal scale commenced "Prometheus bound to a Rock."

CROPSEY has returned after seven years' residence in London. He brings his family, and expects to remain a year among picturesque scenes in our country, gathering new studies to satisfy his English friends. He is now in Passaic county, N. J.

BOUGHTON, having made a hit in the art circles of London, is now spending the summer vacation in Brittany.

HUBBARD is at Lake George, and will, in company with GIFFORD, visit the White Mountains.

THE HILLS (father and son) have been at Portland, Me., and are now near Shelbourne, N. H.

HUNTINGTON is making a horseback tour among the hills of New-Hampshire.

E. JOHNSON has been in Maine, and also on Long Island, where he painted two studies—one a picturesque interior without figures; another with a figure of a black man reading the Bible in a chimney-corner.

LOUIS LANG is now at Newburgh, but will finish his season at his usual resort, West Point.

LEUTZE is on a visit to Dusseldorf, and will return in September or October, bringing his family with him, to make this country his permanent home.

GRAY is at Stockbridge, Mass.

E. WHITE is in New-Jersey, among the old Dutch interiors, which he paints so well.

E. BENSON ("Proteus") is at Newburyport.

BENSONS and COLEMAN are at Genesee, the broad acres and splendid groves of trees of that famous valley affording fine subjects for their pencils.

VINCENT COLYER has again laid aside the brush to act as almoner for the fund raised in behalf of the distressed colored people in this city.

DARLEY is at his home at Claymont, Del.

HAYES is at his country house on the shores of Connecticut, near Darien.

BIERSTADT is traveling in Europe, but means to locate in London before his return.

GIGNOUX has returned to the City, after an absence of two years, and is to be found at his old studio, No. 905 Broadway.

INNESS is residing at Medfield, Mass., but intends to remove to Englewood, N. J. The latest works from Mr. INNESS can be seen at SCHAUS's Gallery, on Broadway.

LAMBDIN is at Germantown, Penn., and has just finished a picture of the size of "Ask me no More," called "Spring"—ten young ladies gathering flowers in a garden.

JAMES M. HART has been on the Hudson, near Poughkeepsie, and is now on the shores of Cayuga Lake.

WM. HART is among the White Mountains.

W. T. RICHARDS, of Philadelphia, is among the Adirondacks, and we may expect from him in the coming exhibitions something other than the fastidious and beautiful leaf-work with which he has already made an impression upon critics.

WHITTREDGE and MCENTEE are among the Catskills.

KENSETT has been on Long Island Sound for a short time, but is now at his studio.

E. W. NICHOLS is at Northampton, Mass., having been up and down the Connecticut River, drawing lines in pleasant places.

BIERSTADT is yet among the buffaloes on the Western plains. We believe it is his intention to go to California by the overland route.

OBERT is at Westerly, R. I., engaged upon designs for the new currency, and also upon a design for a large picture representing the movement of an army train.

MR. H. M. FIELD is at Saratoga.

SHATTUCK is among the elms and meadows of Great Barrington, Mass.

YEWELL is in Wisconsin.

WEST is now in Holland, near his birthplace. It is his intention to remain abroad several years.

HAZELTINE is at Narragansett. He made studies on that coast last Summer, and there developed what will probably be his future specialty.

W. H. BEARD, with his bride, is making the tour of the White Mountains.

JAS. BEARD, his brother, an artist of long-established excellence in the West, has recently removed to New-York, and can be found temporarily in BIERSTADT's studio in Tenth-street.

HENNESSY is yet at his studio, finishing numerous *genre* pictures; one, a boy sitting on the sands of the sea-shore, the picture being the result of a recent visit to Long Branch.

BUTLEMAN is residing at Rome, having been for some time the American Consul there.

CRANCH has returned to New-York. He has resided in Europe (most of the time in Paris) for nearly ten years. He will have a studio here next season.

CASILEAR is near Campton, N. H.

F. S. PERKINS is rusticating in the Far West, from which we would like to hear from him.

E. D. PALMER is at Aurora, Cayuga County, his usual Summer home. He is now engaged on a new bas-relief called "Hope," which is intended as a companion to "Faith."

BALLIERS is at his country house, New-Durham, N. J.

CARPENTER is at his studio, having lately come from the grave of his brother, mortally wounded at Gettysburgh.

WILLIAM S. and SHEPHERD MOUNT are at their old headquarters, Stony Brook and Setauket, L. I.

PERE is at Catskill.

TAIT is on his annual hunting, fishing and painting tour among the Chateaugan Lakes, Adirondack Mountains.

VARNEY is at Saxon Springs.

J. G. BROWN is at Shelbourne, N. H.

GREY has just returned from a visit near Boston, where he has been making some studies of cattle for a picture which he has in contemplation.

LAURT THOMPSON has nearly completed his "Hamlet," a study made from EDWIN BOOTH, the actor.

MIGNOT is in London, where he has some pictures in the Royal Academy.

J. Q. A. WARD is in town, and has been engaged upon a statuette of Gen. MCCLELLAN.

Canada and the United States.

A LETTER FROM THOMAS D'ARCY M'GEE.

THOS. D'ARCY MCGEE writes a curious letter to the editors of the Montreal *Gazette*, in the course of which he says:

"Is our condition in Canada really critical? Are our statesmen vigilant, and on their guard? On what are we to depend in case the avowed designs of the American Democracy against us should be prosecuted to actual hostility? How do we stand 'at home?' Is England satisfied or dissatisfied with our vigilance and preparedness? In other words, will England stand by us, should the worst come to the worst? These are questions to be asked, and answered at Quebec, before the Parliament called for Thursday next should be allowed to adjourn. Six or seven or eight months of negligence or indifference to the first duty of the statesman—the security of the State, may jeopardize the connexion, impair our existence, and lay us prostrate at the feet of the Northern Americans, before 1864 is half past.

I am no alarmist, but neither can I shut my eyes to the signs of the times. At Rouse's Point—40 miles from this populous city, the heart of Canada, our neighbors have hurried to completion an immense new fortress—Fort Montgomery. The statesmen of Canada ought to go to Quebec, and Rouse's Point. They will see there a place of arms, destined to play no feeble part in the contemplated subjugation of their country. They will see, if they are permitted to enter, magazines capable of containing supplies for an army of 100,000 men, and barrack accommodation for a permanent garrison of 5,000. I speak upon no newspaper authority, upon no doubtful information, when I say, that the plan contemplated at Washington for the invasion of Canada is to march 100,000 men up to the District of Montreal—"to cut the connection between Upper and Lower Canada"—to abstain religiously from interfering in our local affairs, but to force a separation of the Provinces, by the mere force of an army of occupation, interposing its military barrier to their intercourse. What would follow such separation, rest assured, has not escaped their calculations.

It is in view of these facts and others, which for important reasons I do not now state, that I ask the question which I trust every constituency in Canada will, through its representative, insist on having answered at Quebec immediately—Can England stand by us? To that question the Government of the day ought to be now in a position to give an authoritative, official answer. I hope they are in that position; if they are not, they must be forced into it by every possible constitutional pressure.

I can well understand English statesmen and economists, when they say that a nominal connexion is not worth the expenditure of blood and treasure, which a conflict with America must necessarily impose on England. To answer that argument, not by logic but by facts, not by argument but by action, we must make the nominal connexion *real*. If we can show that through British America lies the shortest and securest British highway to Japan, China, India and Australia—to Japan and China, shorter by 2,000 miles, to Australia by 900 miles, than any *route* now existing; if the opening of this British highway was once fairly begun—would not England then have something to stand by? If there were a Crown Colony at Red River, and a Crown Prince presiding over our united destinies in British America, would the not have something to stand by? Then our existence would be wrapped up in here—our credit would come within one per cent. of here—we would ride out this American storm by the same anchors of policy and power, which have held her fast, and never dragged from their firm grip of the planet, during all the European storms of eight hundred years!

I beseech the honorable members of both houses, now on their way to Quebec, not to dismiss these *suggestions as idle or speculative, as unfounded in observation and information. I beseech them to consider* within themselves, whether it is likely England *will* stand by us, if the connection is merely to be a nominal one? Will she equip an army and navy for Lord MONCK's salary, or the pride of holding Lake Erie with the Republicans? For one, I do not believe it. Other and better defined arrangements must be entered into; the connection must be made real, not nominal, or the assistance of England will be found in the day of need to be rendered by our own default nominal, not real."

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HERRING'S Patent Champion Fire-Proof Safes, and HERRING'S new Patent Burglar-proof Safes, with HERRING & FLOYD'S Patent Crystallized Iron—the only material which cannot be drilled—at No 251 Broadway, New-York.

Passengers Arrived.

In steamship Ocean Queen, from Aspinwall—L. H. Church, family and servant, Henry Hunt, Robert C. Rodgers, Henry F. Teschmaker, W. G. Fargo, D. N. Barney, D. P. Cheeney and servant, Capt. Upton and family, Miss F. Daniels, Mrs. W. Brierly, Martin A. Searles, W. B. Bennett, Mrs. C. Pinna, Miss R. Kingsland, Capt. Chesseborough, Wm. H. Swan and wife, Peter Bonzi and family, Mrs. B. Nichols and daughter, C. R. Hall, N. S. Gladding, G. R. Bugby, S. J. Ingham, H. Fenelsten, Alex. McLenan, Mrs. E. F. Cole and infant, Henry Kimball, Miss F. McQuestion, Geo. H. Moore, A. W. Tuft, Judge Sanderson and wife, Mrs. Ferguson and child, Mrs. A. G. Styles, Mrs. W. Dutton, Miss S. Faulkner, Mrs. P. H. Morgan, children and servant, Mrs. C. I. Stevens and children, Capt. H. C. Wisner, Geo. E. Adsley, Henry Winter, W. H. Lyon, John G. Rosell, James R. Damon, Capt. N. Brown, Jr., Mrs. Dunbar and son, T. Tyler, Dr. Post and family, Mrs. Tracy and infant, Dr. Hardee and family, Mrs. H. Dexter and son, Mrs. Lettman and daughter, Mrs. Mary Smith, Andrew Doffin, Jno. Cornelius and wife, Chas. Lockwood and wife, R. Rodman, Pierre Domec, Mrs. M. J. Wheeler, Harvey Kean, F. J. Knowles, M. Robins, Mrs. Hosmer and children, S. H. Green, R. S. Dorr, Jr., Jonas S. Myers, Miss R. Benjamin, Adolph A. Sen, Mrs. Hearsey and children, Isaac Shoemaker, Jerome Getcherin, Mrs. F. Esterlo and children, Dr. William Turnbull, Mrs. Asable and children, F. L. Welsh, Geo. Lovejoy, Jose de Igual, J. W. Galloway, James Thompson, John Gilmore, Mrs. C. Peck, Mrs. Henrich and servant, Dr. U. M. Ryer, H. H. Cumming, S. Swett, family and servant, Mrs. Mitchell, and a good complement in the steerage.

In steamship Arago, from Port Royal, S. C.—Col. Metcalf, Fleet Surgeon Olymer, U. S. N.; Lieut. McKenzie, U. S. N.; Lieut.-Col. Spiedel, Lieut.-Col. Levy, Capt. Levy, Mr. Cuthbert, U. S. N.; Mr. Quintard, U. S. N.; Mr. Simmons, U. S. N.; Dr. Calkin, U. S. N.; Mrs. Gen. Sander, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Crispell, Mrs. Simple, Miss Wakeman, Mr. Brown, Miss Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Riddell, Chaplain Van Wyck, Lieut. Baxter, Major Bailey, Henry A. Topham, Capt. Tanking, Mr. Wellman, Capt. Nicholls, Capt. W. W. Bridge, Mr. Chason, U. S. N.; Mr. Clark, do.; Lieut. Ward, Capt. Case, Capt. Gannon, Dr. Sarles and son, Capt. Francis, Lieut. Stevens, Capt. Jackson, Mr. Kaufmann, U. S. N.; W. H. Tripp, do.; G. B. Tripp, do.; Mr. Hamilton, do.; Surgeon Lynch, Capt. Thayer, Mr. Bryant, U. S. N.; Lieut. Dunlap, Lieut. Murray, Lieut. Hammond, Lieut. Blackburn, Mr. Young, U. S. N.; Lieut. Lamont, Lieut. Peter, Capt. Albina, Mr. French, Capt. Newlands, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Sheldon, A. Lee, Messrs. Day, Smith, Sonder, Judd, Montague, Gilman, Mullen, S. N. Mason, H. S. Towle, A. D. Smith, Buck, Stark, Blackwell, Cohen, Ashland, Russell, Williams, Connell, Russell, Bellows, Gorther, Agnew, J. H. Lamont, Stillman, Fuller, Bentley, Stover, and 28 others. Also the 176th regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, composed of 28 officers and 661 non-commissioned officers and privates, under command of Col. Lochler.

Passengers Sailed.

AUG. 13.—*In steamship City of Cork, for Liverpool.*—Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, child and infant, Elias Howe, A. B. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lewis, and infant, Rev. S. Boyd, Charles H. Churchill, David Grier, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. McCormick, two children and nurse, with others in the steerage.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises..... 5 00 | Sun sets..... 7 00 | Moon sets... —

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook. 7 35 | Gov. Island.. 8 24 | Hell Gate.. 8 56

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK.....THURSDAY, Aug. 13.

Cleared.

Steamships Champion, Tinkelpaugh, Aspinwall, D. B. Allen; Golden City, Eldridge, San Francisco, Pacific Mail Steamship Company; Louisiana, (Br.,) Brooking, Liverpool, Williams & Guion.

Steamers Octorora, McLaughlin, Baltimore, Wm. Dalzell; Vineland, Maud, Chester, Penn., Bentley, Smith & Co.

Ship John Bertram, (Hamb.,) Johansen, Hamburg, Sloman & Edge.

Barks Active, (Norw.,) Oundrup, Queenstown, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Elisa Bates, (Br.,) Frith, Halifax, Tucker & Lightbourne; Adamo, (Ital.,) Sasso, Cork, Spofer & De Verter; Orchilla, Devereux, Bangor, R. P. Buck & Co.; American Eagle, Fogarty, Cette, Moore & Emory; Magdalena, Day, Aspinwall, Panama Railroad Company; Edward, (Prus.,) Wiesing, Cadiz, Buprieht & Forstine; E. A. Allen, Patten, Key West, Benner & Brown; Casco, Gardner, Trinidad de Cuba, George F. Stevenson.

Brigs Wallace Peck, Leighton, Banaor, Peck & Church; Oberfuehler, (Pruss.,) Tal, Queenstown, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Sam Cooper, (Br.,) Barrentoyo, Steel and Tyrance, F. Alexandre & Sons; Eaglet, (Br.,) Terry, Baltimore, G. S. Colt; Cornelia and Gertrude, (Hol.,) Hocksema, Amsterdam, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Ruby, (Br.,) Foley, St. John, N. F., G. F. Pennington.

Schooners S. M. Atkins, Atkins, Mairess, Del., Avon, Falkenburgh, Washington, N. C., McCready & Co.; Milton, Hulse, Philadelphia, Baker & Dayton; John Walker, Mosley, Washington, Van Brunt & Slight; Eliza, Cook, Washington, Van Brunt & Slight; Andrew Stewart, Alanson, Washington, Bentley, Smith & Co.; Roscoe and Harriet, Brasman, Melville, A. C. Havens; Horizon, Steelers, Chincoteague, A. C. Havens; Cudjoe, (Br.,) O'Neil, Harbor Grace, N. F., M. E. Greene & Curry; T. Jefferson, Small, Salem; C. J. Erickson, Brown, Accomac, A. C. Havens; C. C. Sadler, Tilton, Accomac, A. C. Havens; Rockaway, Ward, Beaufort, Bentley, Smith & Co.; Ocean Star, Gunn, Boston, Wm. S. Brown & Co.; R. B. Pitts, Paul, Blue Hill, Va., Wm. S. Brown & Co.; Albion, Staples, Boston, Wm. S. Brown; Sarah Holden, Berry, Wm. S. Brown & Co.; Jamieson, Jamieson, Boston, Wm. S. Brown & Co.; G. W. Whistler, Parker, Cambridge, Bentley, Smith & Co.

Sloops Adelia, Kelly, Dennisport, Mass., V. B. Nickerson; Southport, Cos. New-Haven, L. D. Stannard; Oregon, Rhodes, Providence, L. Kenny.

Arrived.

U. S. steam transport Arago, Gadsden, Port Royal, S. C., as noon on Monday, Aug. 10, off Charleston Bar at 8 P. M., same evening, consigned to Maj. Stewart Van Vliet, U. S. Assistant Quartermaster. Arr. at 10½ A. M., on Thursday, Aug. 13. The Arago brings the usual mails and a large number of passengers. The 176th regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, 600 strong, Col. Lochler, whose term of service has expired, are on board. The U. S. Navy Supply steamer Union, Lieut.-Commanding Edward Conery, arr. at Port Royal on Monday, Aug. 10, at 6½ A. M